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OUTLINES.

At New Orleans and the surrounding country there was improvement yesterday in the yellow fever situation in the city of New Orleans there were 37 new cases and 3 deaths yesterday, making 1,995 cases and 284 deaths to date——There was another new case of yellow jack at Pensacola yesterday, making 6; A new case is reported at Vicksburg and the origin of the fever there is a mystery, several towns in Mississippi are infected——The last disagreement over the drafting of the peace treaty at Portsmouth was settled last night and the treaty, consisting of 17 articles is most ready for the signatures; a typhoon has cut off communication with Japan; the Russian army heard the peace news with gratification——The consulting engineers will visit the Isthmus of Panama the last of this month, to aid them in determining upon lock or a sea level canal——The schooner Anthony Nichols has arrived in New York with her crew sick with dengue fever——Public Printer Palmer has asked for the resignations of Oscar J. Ricketts and L. C. Hay, foremen in the government printing office, because, as they allege, they gave testimony in the investigation about the purchase of certain typesetting machines——At a meeting of Southern soft yarn spinners in Atlanta yesterday prices were advanced on account of the increased price of cotton——At Silver City Miss., yesterday two negroes were lynched for assaulting a well known farmer——New York markets: Money on call nominal, no loans, time loans steady; spot cotton, holiday; flour dull, Minnesota patent 4.50 to 5.50; wheat firm No. 2 red, 85 3-4; corn easy, No. 2, 60; oats steady, mixed, 29 to 29 1-2; turpentine firm at 64 to 64 1-2; rosin quiet, strained common to good, 3.65 to 3.70.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 2, 1905.

Meterological data for the 24 hourse ending 8 P. M., Saturday, September 1st.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; Maximum, 88 degrees; Minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .25; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .25.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Friday 5.7 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—Sept. 3.

Sun Rises .....5:33 A. M.
Sun Sets .....6:25 P. M.
Day's Length .....12 hrs. 52 min.
High Water at Southport..11.04 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington..1:34 A. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers and thunder storms Sunday and on the coast Monday; fresh south winds.

A woman's face may be her fortune but what a man aims to do first is to get her hand.

A visitor from up the State says the people do little else but talk about Roosevelt and his doings.

The President might turn his peace making attentions to Governor Cummings and Secretary Shaw unless he looks on their spat as a comedy instead of a tragedy.

The immigration statistics made public by the Department of Commerce, at Washington, on Friday, show that during the fiscal year 1,026,499 immigrants landed in the United States. This is the high water mark for new comers from the old world to the new.

Says Col. Bryan's Commoner: "The Kansas City World defies anyone to define reciprocity. Huh! Reciprocity is something used by the beneficiaries of a protective tariff to keep people talking so much about that they forget they are being robbed by the aforesaid beneficiaries. The World should hunt up a harder one next time." So reciprocity has its uses after all.

The New York Commercial on Friday printed a story that as a result of the visit of President Jordon, of the Southern Cotton Growers' Association, to New York, a Wall street syndicate is to join the cotton growers in putting up the price; the syndicate to take up a million and a half bales and hold them for a price to be fixed by the Association when it meets in Asheville next Wednesday. We fear the Greeks bearing gifts.

Speaking of Atlantic City a lady writer in the Philadelphia Telegraph says: "It seems that the white bathing suit, smacks too much of lingerie to be entirely compatible with ideas of propriety, especially when it is made of a thin and clinging material. When such a robe is wet it becomes semi-transparent, and it can be readily understood that in such guise to the majority of staid humanity it is at once an article from which to avert the eye." It can be depended on, however, that the majority of humanity staid till the show was over.

Spend the evening at Lumina. Dancing every night. au 29-5t**

LOCAL DOTS.

—An excursion of 1,300 colored people from Conway, S. C., spent yesterday in the city.

—The banks of the city, both national and savings, will be closed to-morrow on account of Labor Day.

—Mr. R. F. Hamme has returned from the North where he purchased Fall and Winter goods for his popular furnishing store on Front street.

—Messrs. Hatch Brothers announce excursions from Kenly, via Fayetteville to Wilmington, Monday, Sept. 11th, and from Goldsboro to Wilmington, Friday, Sept. 15th.

—The colored team from Rock Hill and the Wilmington Seventh Streeters, colored, will play a game of baseball at Hilton Park Monday afternoon. The game will be called promptly at 4:30 o'clock.

—The "Rest Home" on the beach for the convalescent sick will be kept open two weeks longer. The good done during its six weeks of existence this year fully justifies the effort to make it a permanent institution.

—While proceeding down the river yesterday afternoon the Clyde Liner Navahoe went slightly aground below the dram tree. The tug Marion went down to her assistance, but she was soon afloat and had proceeded.

—Capt. John W. Harper will give a complimentary excursion to Southside Baptist Sunday School next Thursday. The steamer will make a trip to Southport and a short run out to sea for the benefit of the excursionists.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "A telephone message from Parkton says that a fire occurred there to-day, which destroyed three small tenement houses on Washington street. The loss was $800 with no insurance."

—On account of a delightful midweek dance to Southport the steamer Wilmington will make a special trip to that place Wednesday, leaving the city at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and returning about midnight. The fare for the round trip will be 25 cents.

—Rev. W. B. Rivenbark, of Teachey's, will preach at Brooklyn Baptist church this morning and evening at the usual hours. Rev. J. A. McKaughan, the pastor, is assisting Rev. Mr. Rivenbark with a revival meeting at Teachey's.

—Mamie Garfield, a notorious colored woman, was lodged in jail by Constable Savage yesterday on a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon upon Annie Pollock, also colored, and of unsavory reputation. The Garfield woman will be given preliminary trial Tuesday.

—Holiday hours will be observed at the postoffice to-morrow on account Labor Day. The carriers will make one delivery, and one collection in the early morning. The registry and money order departments will be closed all day. The stamp window will be open from 9 to 10 A. M., and from 5 to 6 P. M. The general delivery window will be open from 9 to 11 A. M. and from 6 to 7 P. M.

FREE FROM SMALLPOX.

Not a Single Case Now in Either City or County.

At last the city and county is free from smallpox. The zymotic disease, although not feared half so much as it was in former years, has given the Health Department no end of trouble for the longest kind of a time. Although a Winter disease, it has continued through the Summer and has cost the city much money in the way of quarantine, treatment, etc.

Two colored patients, the only occupants of the pest house, were discharged yesterday. The quarantine upon the residence of Mr. George Burnett, Fifth and Wooster streets, was also lifted yesterday. The approach of Winter, however, and the prevalence of the disease all over the State the past year, lends little encouragement to the hope that the county and city will be free from the disease for any considerable length of time.

Dr. Pigford at Home.

The friends of Dr. E. S. Pigford will be glad to know that he has improved sufficiently as to be able to leave the hospital. He went to his home on Grace, between Front and Second streets, yesterday afternoon and was cordially greeted by a number of friends, who called to inquire of his health. Dr. Pigford suffered an acute attack last Sunday similar to one experienced about a year ago and was removed at once to the hospital.

At Lumin To-day.

The band engaged by the Consolidated Company at Jackson Springs went to pieces after reaching the city and Hollowbush's Orchestra has been re-engaged to play at Lumina. The orchestra will render the usual afternoon and night concerts there to-day and large crowds are expected to hear the music on both occasions. It is also announced that the Lighthouse, on the sound, will be prepared to serve oyster roasts to-day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Savings Banks—Holiday.
Mayor Waddell—Notice.
D. L. Gore Co.—Mullets and Salt.
J. W. Harper—Mid-Week Dance.
Carolina Savings & Trust Co.—Interest.
F. G. Hashagen Co.—Tidal Wave Flour.

Business Locals.

B.—Furnished Rooms.
Miss Gore—Dancing Class.
For Rent—Green Grocery Stand.
Manufacturer—Trustworthy Man.
W. A. Dick—Stores and Dwellings.
Dixie Cafe—Turtle Soup To-day.
J. G. Wright & Son—Store for Rent.
B. B. Hogue—Boys' Private School.
Board—Couple and two Gentlemen.
George G. Clows—Lady or Gentleman.
M. C. Darby & Co.—Houses for Rent.
J. G. Wright & Son—Rent Your Property.
J. G. Wright & Son—Get Your More Money.

LABOR DAY OUTINGS

Official Celebration By Trades Unions and Address By Hon. A. M. Waddell

ON TO CAROLINA BEACH!

Parade and General Suspension of Business in the City—Attractions and Big Crowd Expected at Wrightsville.

Members of the Central Labor Union and their friends have arranged for a fitting observance of Labor Day at Carolina Beach to-morrow. The Consolidated Company has arranged to handle an unusually large crowd and has provided added attractions at Wrightsville Beach for the occasion. A majority of the places of business and many of the industrial plants in the city will be closed for the day and all in all the great American holiday in Wilmington, with anything like favorable weather conditions, will be very generally observed by the people at large. It is hoped that all will join heartily in the spirit of the hour and pay all due respects to the dignity and honor of labor.

The official celebration of the day by the unions will be featured by a parade during the morning and an address in the pavilion at Carolina Beach by Hon. A. M. Waddell, mayor of the city, who on yesterday accepted a very pressing invitation from the committee to attend the celebration and speak briefly. The Delgado Cornet Band has been engaged to furnish music for the day and the steamer Wilmington has been chartered for five trips during the day and early evening to handle the large crowds that are expected. There will be music and dancing all day in the pavilion and a good time for all who join in the celebration is assured.

Members of the allied trades unions of the city will assemble at Front and Princess streets at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and will form into line of parade under direction of Mr. E. C. Yarborough, who has been chosen chief marshal. He will have as his aides Messrs. F. V. Huggins, of the Railway Carmen; C. Nielsen, of the Pressmen's Union; Mr. C. H. Huband, of the Typographical Union; Mr. J. W. Curtis, of the Machinists' Union; Mr. Hall Whitney, of the Plumbers' Union, and Mr. E. C. Yarborough, of the I. B. E. W. The parade will be headed by a platoon of police and the Delgado Band. One or more of the companies of the Fire Department, with apparatus, will also take part.

The parade will be in what is known as open formation and will march from Front and Princess streets to Chesnut, thence to Fifth, to Orange, to Front, to Market, to water and the Wilmington's dock, boarding the steamer and leaving the city for Carolina Beach at 11 o'clock.

The address of Mayor Waddell at the beach will take place about 1 o'clock and he will be heard by an immense crowd. There will be five trips made by the steamer Wilmington during the day. They will be at 8:30 and 11 A. M., and 2:30, 5:15 and 7:30 P. M.

The Consolidated Company has given a rate of 25 cents for the round trip to Wrightsville Beach and Lumina will be the mecca to which hundreds of people will flock. There will be boating, fishing, bowling, music and dancing for the enjoyment of everyone.

An excursion from Wadesboro and intermediate points on the Seaboard Air Line will bring to the city a large crowd of visitors, who will swell the throngs at both resorts.

While the great majority of Wilming people will go to either Carolina or Wrightsville Beach, many others will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit Fayetteville afforded by Knight's excursion. The special train will leave in the morning and return the same night.

OPENING THEATRE ATTRACTION

High Class Vaudeville Will Inaugurate Season Tuesday Night.

Vaudeville such as is only seen on special occasions at Keith's and Proctor's will be given at the Academy of Music Tuesday night. The occasion will also be the opening of the local theatre and for that reason will be doubly auspicious. The performance Tuesday night will be an innovation for vaudeville in the South and will make up a superb attraction. The company is one of the most expensive on the road, as each artist gets several hundred dollars salary. Among these artists are May Yore and Bradlee Strong, the pair whose marriage was in the lime light not so very long ago; Bonnie Thornton, James Thornton and Flo Irwin, the talented sister of May Irwin.

For this attraction there will be no advance in prices, and the sale of seats will be on sale at Plummer's Monday morning.

Columbus Superior Court.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer says: "Solicitor C. C. Lyon leaves this afternoon for Whiteville, Columbus county, court convening there next week. Judge Moore will not leave until to-morrow afternoon, as he is detained by the hearing in the Gattis-Kilgo case. Solicitor Lyon said that the docket for the Columbus court was very heavy. He said he did not know what had gotten into the people of this country, crime was increasing so rapidly."

To Play In Fayetteville

The crack baseball team from wilmington which has been so successful in the series with Fort Caswell during the past Summer, will go up on the excursion to-morrow to play the Fayetteville team on the diamond there. Wilson and Moore will probably compose the battery for Wilmington and an excellent game is assured.

Warranty Deeds for sale at the star office. tf**

ARRESTED FOR KANSAS CITY

Man and Wife Who Conducted Fortune Teller's Booth at Wrightsville Past Summer are Held.

Upon telegraphic advices from Kansas City, Mo., that they are believed to be Prof. Harrington and wife, wanted there for obtaining money under false pretences, Chief of Police Williams late last night caused the arrest of C. J. Cooley and wife, Madame Ona, who have been conducting a fortune teller's booth at the Lumina pavilion, on Wrightsville Beach, the past Summer.

The arrest of the man and woman was by Police Sergeant J. R. Hardee and Officer Walker, at the boarding place of the strangers on east side of Second, between Market and Dock streets. They have nearly completed their season at Wrightsville and in a short time expected to move to some other point for the Winter. Both stoutly deny that they are the persons wanted and point out that the description furnished by the Kansas City authorities does not fit them. A telegram has been sent by Chief Williams to Chief of Police Vernon J. Rose, who authorized the arrest and steps will be taken at once by an exchange of photographs or otherwise to establish the identity of the persons under detention here.

Mr. Cooley and his wife have been here since last November and previous to that time give account of where they have been following carnivals and street fairs in the North. They are being detained at the police station, pending advices from Kansas City.

DELIGHTFUL TROLLEY PARTY.

Young People Took Jaunt to Wrightsville Friday Night.

A party of young people from the southern part of the city; chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Price, enjoyed a delightful trolley party to Wrightsville Beach Friday night. The affair was arranged by Miss Nellie Cammareiro and Miss Maude Hall and among the young people who enjoyed the delightful outing were Misses Cammareiro and Hall, Misses Maggie and Lizzie Branch, Mamie Blair, Lelia Ezzell, Guila King, Jennie Pickett, Nellie Dooley, Nellie Kennedy, Carolyn Price, Bessie Brady, Mary Thompson, Lucy Tyler, Daisy Tyler, Helen and Allie Skinner, Kate Swann, Letitia Aman, Angie Williams, Minnie Justice, Mary Hall, Fannie Branch, Jessie Pridgen, Rosa Kermon, Mrs. Emma Burkheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Strickland, Roy Woodbury, Chas. Capps, Mack Reynolds, Jim Purser, Jno. McAllister, Charlie Mahn, John Batson, Emil Krahnke, Chas. Lord, Chas. Davis, Marsden Smith, Joe McEntee, Jas. Jacobs, Jas. Hall, Will Hodges, Jesse Canady, Frank Brittain, Henry Pool, Ed. Wilkinson, Ralph Kennedy, Jack Irving, Everett Wilson, Jas Orrell, Will Holmes, Jno. McDougald, Ed. Cunningham and John Pool. After a delightful dance at Lumina refreshment were served.

MR. BUNTING TO BUILD.

Handsome New Business Structure For Lower Princess Street.

Mr. Justin M. Bunting, who recently purchased a building site of the Garrell property on Princess street, announces that work will begin Tuesday in tearing out the old stable building on the site to make ready for a handsome new two-story brick business house which he will erect there. The building will be plate glass and sand stone front. There will be a store and office on the first floor and five office rooms on the second floor. The building will be modern in every respect and will add considerably to the appearance of that section.

Mr. Jno. F. Garrell, who has sold the other portion of the property except what was formerly the jail residence, next west of the old Court House, will decide this week whether or not he will also erect a handsome business building adjoining on the east the one to be erected by Mr. Bunting. Mr. Garrell favors erecting a three-story structure but the two buildings will conform to the same architectural design. It is hoped that Mr. Garrell will also decide to build on the property.

Hollowbush's Academy Orchestra.

Hollowbush's Academy Orchestra has opened headquarters on the second floor of the former Wilmington Savings and Trust Company's banking house, on Princess street, now occupied by Mr. W. M. Cumming. In the same apartments Prof. Jno. A. Kneissel will have his music studio and the mandolin school will also be conducted there. Decorators are now at work beautifying the place, which will be music headquarters during the Winter.

Frank Woods Not Guilty.

Frank Woods, the negro charged in Justice Furlong's court yesterday with the larceny of a "sack suit" from the trunk of his wife, the same having been the property of S. Abramowitz from whom it was bought on the installment plan, was found not guilty and discharged, his wife being unable to testify against her husband according to law. Woods was represented by William J. Bellamy, Esq.

Mr. Kellum to Speak.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner, on account of a trip to New York, finds it impossible to meet his engagement to deliver an educational address at Southport tomorrow, and has asked Woodus Kellum, Esq., of this city, to fill the appointment. The addresses in Columbus county this week will also probably be made by local speakers.

Contributions to the Catherine Kennedy Home for July and August: Mrs. J. L. Cantwell, milk, potatoes, tomatoes; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, rice, potatoes; Mrs. Roger Moore; Mr. S. A. Schloss, cake, ice cream; Mrs. R. H. Pickett, chickens; Mr. J. A. Montgomery, watermelon, peaches; Kirkman Co., soap; Mr. J. A. Springer, ice daily; Mr. R. R. Bellamy, drugs; Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, drugs; Mrs. Tate, peaches; Mr. Montgomery, watermelon.

DURHAM SENSATION

Ex-Mayor of the City Assaulted Judge Geo. W. Ward of Superior Court

INCENSED AT LIGHTSENTENCE

Relative of Victim Thought Punishment of Negro For Manslaughter Insufficient, Flew Into Blind Rage—Held for Contempt.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., Sept 2.—To-day in the Superior Court Allen Haskins, a negro was tried for shooting and killing I. C. Day, a white man. The negro was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced by Judge Geo. W. Ward to 15 months on the county roads. The sentence so outraged former Mayor M. E. McCown, an uncle of the deceased, I. C. Day, that to-night between 6 and 7 o'clock he proceeded to the room of Judge Ward in a boarding house and protested that the sentence was out of all proportion to the negro's crime. He demanded that the sentence be set aside or made larger. Judge Ward declined to do so, whereupon McCown flew into a rage, cursed the judge and assaulted him. Several severe scalp wounds were inflicted upon his honor and his face was badly lacerated.

McCown was arrested and at 9 o'clock to-night was given a hearing on the charge of contempt of court. He was sentenced to 30 days in jail and to pay a fine of $200. An appeal was taken. The affair has caused a great sensation here.

Another Account.

Charlotte, N. C., September 2.—A special from Durham says that M. E. McCown, ex-mayor of Durham, assaulted Judge George W. Ward, of the first judicial district, knocking him to the floor of the hotel lobby. The assault was occasioned by the imposing of a two years sentence on Allen Harkins, colored, by Judge Ward at the afternoon session of the Superior Court, for killing I. C. Day, who was a nephew of McCown. The attack was the occasion of some excitement. Judge Ward's assailant was immediately attached for contempt, and is being given a hearing in the Durham county court house to-night.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Five Defendants Told Their Troubles to the Mayor Yesterday.

The municipal court "got busy" yesterday after several days of inactivity. Five cases had been docketed, though none of them was important. George Townsend, a negro, charged with creating a disturbance in Mr. Albert Rothschild's saloon, at Nutt and Red Cross streets, Friday night, advancing upon the proprietor of the place in a threatening manner, was fined $10 and costs. He was represented by William J. Bellamy and Brooke G. Empie, Esqs.

J. W. Jones, a white man, found asleep on the postoffice green after Friday midnight, was let off with the costs.

Scipio Ashe, colored, an old offender, charged with being drunk and down, was fined $5 and costs.

Maggie Davis, colored, was taxed with $10 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Milton Thomas, white, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was let off with the costs.

STATE HOSPITAL INCIDENT.

Coroner's Jury Inquiring Into Death of Maniac Nall.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., September 2.—The coroner's hearing of the evidence in the case of the death of Nall, the maniac who died after a chase by State Hospital attendants on Thursday, was private to-day and was continued. Solicitor Jones appeared. After consultation, the coroner announced to the public that he wished to discuss some information with the jury privately and the result would be announced later. He said he was advised by the solicitor that the proceding were ex parte and that it would be improper and not according to law to place the hospital attendants on the stand at this stage of the proceedings. He said there was nothing to announce as to when the examination would be resumed but it is thought as soon as some witnesses from Chatham county, who saw the body come here. The examination will be continued as early as possible Monday.

THE SUPPLEMENT TO-DAY.

Write-up of Wilmington's Industrial Enterprise by Mr. Strouss.

With to-day's edition of the Star, Mr. Marcus E. Strauss, a gentleman of wide and very successful experience in his profession, issues an industrial supplement advertising Wilmington and as many of its enterprises as it was possible to reach and interest. The supplement speaks for itself. Mr. Strouss has worked industriously and energetically to make of the supplement a credit to the city and to those who have been interested in the enterprise. How well he has succeeded may be judged from the inside pages of the paper to-day, which are carrying the evidences of Mr. Strouss' excellent work.

Miss Gore's Dancing School.

Many of the young people of the city will be delighted to know that Miss Bessie Gore will resume her instruction in dancing in Germania Hall Wednesday evening of this week. Miss Gore's ability as a teacher of all the latest dances and the popularity of her school are without question and the series of lessons this Fall and Winter promise to be as largely attended as ever.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. A. A. Starbird, U. S. A., of Fort Caswell, is in the city.

—Mr. S. A. Stevens, of Monroe, was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mrs. J. J. Parrish, of Chadbourn, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. P. H. Sears, of Whiteville, arrived last night and is at The Orton.

—Mr. W. J. DuBois, of Lumberton, arrived last night and is at The Orton.

—Mrs. D. C. Love left yesterday morning to visit friends in Fayetteville.

—Mr. J. H. Westbrook, of Dillon, S. C., arrived last night and is a guest at The Orton.

—Miss Mary Boney, of Wallace, is the guest of Miss Mary Belle King, No. 510 North Front street.

—Mrs. M. A. Kelly and little niece, Miss Nellie May Kelly, are visiting friends and relatives in Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Ed. Morse, formerly of this city, but now of Newport News, Va., is here to spend a day or two with friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilder, who have been spending several weeks in Western North Carolina, have returned home.

—Mr. C. W. Yates has returned from a visit of a week to the scenes of his boyhood days in and around Greensboro, N. C.

—Miss Carrie May VonGlahn returned yesterday from Asheville and Hendersonville where she spent a part of the past Summer.

—Mrs. W. W. Koch and little daughter, who have been spending the Summer with relatives and friends in Newbern, have returned to the city.

—Mrs. C. H. Huband and children returned yesterday from Petersburg, Va., where they have been spending several weeks with relatives and friends.

—Mr. Edward Everhart left last night for a pleasure trip to New York. He will be away about ten days "taking in the sights" of the various Northern resorts.

—Mrs. Ada C. Harris, of Verona, returned yesterday after a visit to her brother, Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cox. Her daughter, Miss Josie Harris, went to Durham to enter school.

—Mr. A. Sidney Bayles, formerly with the A. C. L., in this city, but now with the same company in an official capacity at Savannah, Ga., arrived last night and is a guest at The Orton.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. S. P. McNair and bride returned last night from their honeymoon trip North, and left this morning for Wilmington, on the steamer Duplin."

—Ex-Governor D. L. Russell returned yesterday from Saratoga, N. Y., where he spent a short while for his health. The friends of the ex-Governor were delighted to see him looking much better on his return.

—Col. Z. T. Fulmore, of Austin, Tex., who has been visiting his old home in Robeson county and who was one of the leading speakers at the "Home Coming" at Red Springs last week, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday.

—Mr. Bradley B. Hogue has returned from his Summer vacation and will open his Boys' Private School this Fall. Thorough individual instruction is given and perfect discipline is maintaned. Mr. Hogue may be addressed at No. 313 Market street.

—Deputy Sheriff J. M. Wade returned yesterday from Fayetteville where he had been for several days on account of a very sick child. He left the little sufferer much improved and has returned to his duties as officer of Justice Bornemann's court.

—Dr. George Harmon, a former Wilmingtonian now of Savannah and a prominent member of the City Council of the Georgia city, being chairman of the police and health departments, is here on a brief visit and was a pleasant caller at the City Hall building yesterday.

—Miss Sarah Gardner, head milliner for Messrs. J. H. Rehder & Co., has gone North to spend some time studying the latest styles in millinery. With Mr. Rehder, who will join her in the North, they will make purchases of Fall and Winter goods for the big department store of the firm.

—Savannah News: "Mr. Morton Ridbie, general superintendent of the Atlantic Coast Line, returned last night from Jacksonville on train No. 22. The same train carried Mr. W. N. Royall, general manager of the Coast Line. He spent the night in Savannah and went to Charleston on the early morning train, returning to Wilmington Saturday night."

LUMINA BOWLING CONTEST.

W. L. I. Won from Union Team There Last Night.

In the bowling contest at Lumina last night the W. L. I. won from the Union team in a total score of 2,054 to 1,865. The scores made by the several players were as follows:

Union—	1	2	3	Total
Cunningham	96	101	122	319
Durham	114	140	78	332
Malone	120	110	158	388
Dooley	160	159	148	467
Williams	110	129	120	359
Totals	600	639	626	1,865

W. L. I.—	1	2	3	Total
Davis	149	99	117	365
Potts	112	136	134	382
Wilson	139	105	111	355
Brinkley	145	159	162	466
Hatch	134	147	205	486
Totals	679	646	729	2,054

Mid-week dance at Southport, Wednesday, September 6th, 1905. Steamer Wilmington leaves at 5 o'clock; arrive back at 12 o'clock.. Fare 25 cents for round trip.. This includes car fare in Southport and admission to the dance Hall.

J. W. HARPER.

Those desiring supper are requested to notify the hotel management before hand.

THIS IS OUR OPENING DAY
For the World Renowned
Dunlap Hats. DUNLAP & CO. Dunlap Hats.
A Full Line of All Shapes and Sizes.
We Are the Exclusive Agents.
Don't Fail to See Us for Your Fall Hat.
J. M. SOLKY & CO.,
MASONIC TEMPLE. ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS.
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CONVINCING PROOF!
A STAR BUSINESS LOCAL BRINGS 25 RESPONSES.
Attention is called to the following, which is proof positive that it pays to advertise in the Business Locals department of The Morning Star:
The Morning Star,
Wilmington, N. C.
Dear Editor: Yours of the 7th received, and will say that we had about 25 answers from our advertisement for a bookkeeper in the Business Locals of your paper. We secured a man who went to work the first of this week. Yours truly,
NEAL-MORSE LUMBER CO.,
Per W. A. Morse.
South Washington, N. C., Aug. 9, 1905.

You live in the present—for the Future make your Future RIGHT. Deposit your savings. We offer every conservative facility. ALL LOANS GUARANTEED. NO POSSIBILITY OF LOSS. Four per cent interest (compounded quarterly) paid on deposits.
Service Counts.
Carolina Savings & Trust Co
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New Catch Mullets and Salt
60 Barrels new catch Mullets nice fish and 100 to every barrel.
—ALSO—
Sch. S. M. Byrd is now discharging 10,000 bags salt at our warehouse.
Send your orders to us—Prompt shipment.
D. L. GORE CO., Wholesale Grocers and Importers,
Sept. 3-tf. Wilmington, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Special Notice!

Monday, September 4th, being a legal holiday, the following Savings Banks will not open for the transaction of business.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

The Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.

The People's Savings Bank.

The Carolina Savings & Trust Co.

Sept. 3-1t.

Assessments For Street Improvements On Fourth Street.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 3, 1905.

To the owners of real estate abutting upon North Fourth street, from Fourth street bridge to Nixon street:

You will take notice that the City Engineer has presented to the Board of Aldermen a report showing the amount of assessments for street improvement upon said street, or portion there of.

At the first regular meeting of said Board of Aledrmen, to be held after the expiration of ten days after the publication of this notice, the said Board of Aldermen will consider said report, and if no valid objection be made thereto the same will be adopted and approved by said Board. Said report is now on file in the office of the City Clerk, where same can be seen.

A. M. WADDELL,
Mayor.
Attest:
JNO. J. FOWLER,
Clerk and Treasurer.
Sept. 3-1t.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC
TUESDAY NIGHT, SEPT. 5th.
International Vaudeville Stars
May Yohe, Bradlee Strong, Flo Irwin, James Thornton, Rhodesia, Walter Hawley, Seley & West, Mosher & Wooiston, Mahoney & Lake, Al Casey and Bonnie Thornton, together with
10---BIG ACTS---10
Modern Vaudeville in the South at Last.
Projectoscope Moving Pictures.
Regular Prices: Seats now on sale at Plummer's.
Sept. 1-F Su Tu-3t.

"TIDAL WAVE."
"TIDAL WAVE."
This brand is the best on the market.
"Tidal Wave"
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Has not its equal—try it.
"TIDAL WAVE"
FLOUR
FLOUR
Costs no more than the ordinary brands but is the best that money can mill.
The F. E. Hashagen Co.,
DISTRIBUTERS.
Sept. 3-tf.

HOLE-PROOF SOX
With a Six Months Guarantee, 25c Each.
Newport Overalls
Union-Made in Pants with Belt to match, the best ever sold at $1.00.
The balance of Summer stock goes at cost.
Shoes—STAR BRAND are better.
Sole Agent for the Buster Brown Shoe for Boys and Girls.
J. W. H. FUCHS.
jy25-tf

LABOR DAY CELEBRATION
AT
Carolina Beach!
The Labor Unions of Wilmington will officially celebrate Labor Day at Carolina Beach and not at Wrightsville Beach.
MUSIC AND DANCING AT BOTH PAVILIONS.
FIVE BOATS. FARE 25 CENTS.

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Sunday Morning, Sept. 3.

VANCE MONUMENT.

Interest in the proposed monument to North Carolina's eminent statesman, the late Zebulon Baird Vance, war Governor and United States Senator, should be greatly awakened this Fall and Winter. It is proposed to erect a $3,000 monument to the great North Carolinian and every citizen in the State should subscribe to it. It ought to take only a very short time to raise the small amount wanted.

The Vance Monument Association has the matter in hand, and we are sure the readers of the Star will be interested in the following from yesterday's Charlotte Observer:

"The money which is being raised by the Vance Monument Association is on deposit at the Merchants and Farmers' National Bank and is drawing interest. Mr. D. A. Tompkins is trustee of the fund. Yesterday the interest for the year was added and the total came near to $400. The small sum necessary to carry the fund to the $400 mark was added by 'a friend of Vance,' through Mr. Lockwood Jones, and the amount on deposit now to the credit of the fund is exactly $400.

"The organization of the Vance Memorial Association is as follows:

"Mrs. A. Burwell, president and Mesdames Lucy Bramtelle Patterson, Winston; R. B. Glenn, Winston, and Geo. W. Moneastle, Lexington, vice presidents.

"The executive committee is composed of Mesdames R. Lockwood Jones, A. Burwell, A. L. Smith, I. W. Faison, R. L. Gibbon, Frank Osborne, E. C. Register, J. L. Sexton and Miss Codie Phifer.

"The association will make extra effort to largely increase the fund this Winter. Those who wish to contribute to this fund may remit to any one of the executive committee or to any of the vice presidents or to Mr. D. A. Tompkins, trustee, or to the Merchants & Farmers' National Bank, the depository of the fund.

"Miss Codie Phifer has been appointed by the executive committee to look up the subject of a suitable design and report. It is hoped and expected to increase this fund to three thousand dollars or more, and that the form of the memorial may be a life-size statue of Vance, to be put at some suitable place in Charlotte or in the capitol in Washington.

"It has been suggested that this association be so changed as to become the Vance and Ransom Memorial Association, and that it undertake to place life-size statues of both Vance and Ransom in the capitol at Washington. Both of these ex-United States Senators were war-time men. Both of them gave their lives to the service of the State.

"The Vance Association is not confined to Charlotte, but it is a State organization. Therefore a change by which it would become a Vance-Ransom association would be perfectly feasible."

The idea to combine the objects of the monument association with a view to raising funds to erect monuments to both Vance and the courtly Ransom is a good one. Every patriotic North Carolinian will readily consent to the purpose to perpetuate the memories of two men who did so much for North Carolina and reflected so much honor on the State they so dearly loved. Let the good work go on to early completion.

GOING TO THE COAL FIELDS

The railroad which is to give Wilmington its shortest and earliest direct connection with the Tennessee coal fields is the Carolina & Northwestern Railroad extending from Chester, S. C., to Lenoir and thence 20 miles further into the mountains to the new town of Mortimer.

The Carolina & Northwestern crosses the Carolina Central (Seaboard Air Line) at Lincolnton, N. C., and with the Carolina Central running direct to Wilmington it will be seen how important the Carolina & Northwestern is to us. Most of the road is in North Carolina and we are reminded of its importance by an article in the Charlotte Observer of yesterday. The Carolina & Northwestern was formerly a narrow gauge railroad, but it was changed to a broad gauge a few years ago. Hon. W. A. Barber, of Chester, is president and Mr. L. T. Nichols, general superintendent. They were in Charlotte on Friday, says the Observer, en route to Lenoir and Edgemont, the terminus of the road in the mountains. The purpose of their visit is to inspect the new extension from Lenoir to Mortimer. This part of the road was recently opened to traffic. Edgemont is 24 miles beyond Lenoir and four miles beyond Mortimer. The line is now open to Mortimer and is graded to Edgemont and will be in operation to that point by the middle of September. The Observer, speaking of Mr. Nichols' visit to Charlotte, says:

"Every now and then there is a story about the Southern and Seaboard building to the coal fields. Meanwhile 'the people's own,' has been saying nothing but has been digging a lot of dirt. Twenty-four miles extension beyond Lenoir upwards into the mountains is good progress. There is a logging road already built and in operation from Cranberry to Pinola, near Linville. This is being extended to Mortimer on the Carolina & Northwestern Railroad. When this logging road is completed it will make connection through from the Tennessee coal regions. This logging road is not one over which regular traffic could be done but still much business may be developed over it.

"Edgemont is at the railway station 1,750 feet above the sea. On each side of it mountain hills arise to 2,500 and 3,000 feet above the sea. Adam's Knob near Collettsville, is 2,500 feet above the sea. Brown Mountain, near Mortimer, is near 3,000 feet above the sea. Brown Mountain is largely owned by General Hoke, of Raleigh. General Hoke has for a long time been president of the Cranberry iron mine property. Brown Mountain has a fine spring near the summit and a fine site for a hotel."

The Carolina & Northwestern will ultimately be extended into the coal fields and it is steadily headed in that direction.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—One smile for the living is worth a barrel of salt tears for the dead.—New Orleans Picayune.

—Russia's diplomatic victory over Japan is the greatest since Spain made the United States pay $20,000,000 for the Philippines.—Augusta Chronicle.

—Prohibition has caused no falling off in business in this town, not even in the whiskey business.—Durham Herald.

—When it is claimed that there is no grafting in this State it should be understood that purely State matters are referred to.—Durham Herald.

—We have heard much about a reorganization of the Republican party in this State. If it proposes to reorganize by putting Mr. Marion Butler in a place of authority its last condition will be worse than its first.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

—Apples are said to be a failure in Eastern Carolina, but the whole of the West is filled with them and news comes that they are making apple brandy in great quantities. A gentleman here to-day says it can be bought for a dollar a gallon in a number of places in a number of counties. New apple brandy is a red hot article and the man who imbibes much of it needs to have a good water system handy with plenty of ice to boot.—Greensboro Record.

—A Philadelphia man the other day started out from his home to see how far he could ride by trolley solely, using no other means of conveyance, excepting, of course, ferries. His route took him through New York and into New England by way of Boston and finally well up into Maine. At the end of his trip he had traveled 1,000 miles by trolley, and at a cost which he considered surprisingly small. He found practically all of the principal cities between Philadelphia and Augusta connected by trolley lines. The steam roads may one day find the electric lines to be active competitors for passenger traffic between near-by cities.—Savannah News.

TWINKLINGS.

—A man can get fooled holding a girl's hand as much as he can one in poker.—New York Press.

—Senator Craft—"Do you think I would accept a bribe?" Dyer—"I haven't enough money to find out."—Judge.

—Old Husband—"Will you love me as long as you live?" Young Wife—"I'll love you as long as you live. Won't that do?"—Cleveland Leader.

—Frank is a dutiful son, I am proud to say." "Why, I thought he was arrested for burglary last week?" "He was, but he gave an alias to save the honor of my name."—Cleveland Leader.

—Gushly—"I wonder why the sea waves are sad?" Miss Blazey—"I guess they get tired of hearing so much mushy conversation."—Boston Post.

—Tom—"Here's the car." Tillie—"Oh, no, that's a red one." Tom—"Well, that'll take us all right." Tillie—"I know, but there'll be a blue one along soon, and blue is so much more becoming to me."—Brooklyn Eagle.

—Myer (entering cafe) — "Hello, Gyer! I heard you quit your job in the bank. What are you doing now?" Gyer (seated at table)—"I'm a waiter in this restaurant." Myer—"Is it possible?" Gyer—"Yes; I'm waiting for my dinner."—Chicago Daily News.

MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG AND SICK WOMEN WELL.

Forty years ago, Dr. Pierce searched *Nature's laboratory* for a remedy with which to supplant the ignorant and vicious methods of treatment, with alcoholic stimulants, then in vogue, and still too commonly prescribed and advised for woman's peculiar ailments.

Nature abounds with most efficient remedies, and in Lady's Slipper root, Black Cohosh root, Unicorn root, Blue Cohosh root and Golden Seal root, Dr. Pierce found medicinal properties, which when extracted and preserved by the use of chemically pure glycerine, have proven most potent in making weak women strong and sick women well. It contains no alcohol; is not a "patent medicine," nor a secret one either.

"I was suffering with nervous headache, pains in the back and dizziness, so that at times I had to lie down for hours before I could raise my head," writes Mrs. Mary M. Thomas, of 337 Winston Street, Los Angeles, Cal. "After taking the first bottle of 'Favorite Prescription,' however, I was so pleased with the results that I kept on taking it until I was restored to health and strength. I shall never be without this great medicine, and shall take a few doses when I do not feel strong."

One of the principal uses of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the preparation of prospective mothers for the time of trial and danger that comes when a child is born. The "Prescription" is strengthening and invigorating and lessens pain and danger. It insures the perfect well-being and the perfect health of both mother and child. Every woman should know these things before she really needs to know them. There are many things in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, that every woman ought to know. This celebrated work reached a sale of 680,000 copies at $1.50 each. The expense of production having thus been covered, it is now being given away. A copy will be sent to any address on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, or, in cloth binding for 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Don't Be Hoodwinked, hoodooed, or over-persuaded into accepting a substitute for the **Original Little Liver Pills,** first put up by old Dr. R. V. Pierce, **over 40 years ago,** and called **Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.** They've been much imitated but **never equaled.** One or two are laxative, three or four cathartic.

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WRITE US FREELY. We want you to write us freely and frankly, describing all your symptoms. We employ a staff of specialists in female disorders, who will carefully consider your case and give you free advice. Do not hesitate, but write us today, giving a complete history of your troubles, and we will send you plain instructions what to do to get well. All correspondence kept perfectly secret, and reply sent you in plain, sealed envelope. Address Ladies' Advisory Dept., THE CHATTANOOGA MEDICINE CO., Chattanooga, Tenn.

If You Are Sick

do not neglect your sickness until it seriously impairs your health. Women's troubles never get well of themselves. They must be treated with that scientific, medicinal, female specific,

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It Relieves Women's Pains

You can surely soothe your pain and cure the cause of your irregularities, internal inflammation, excessive drains and all menstrual disturbances, by carefully treating yourself, in the privacy of your own home, with this marvelous female specific, which has proved so successful in making sick women well.

Cardui is sold at every drug store, in $1.00 bottles, with full directions for use on the wrapper. Try it.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 2, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.17½.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 bid per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2,75 per barrel for hard, $4.25 for dip and $4.25 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, quiet 52½c.; rosin firm at $2.40 bid; tar firm at $1.60; crude turpentine, firm at $2.25, $4.00

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	61
Rosin	474
Tar	73
Crude	81

Same day last year—61 casks spirits turpentine, 148 barrels rosin, 46 barrels tar, 165 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Firm, 10 3-8c.

Same day last year nominal.

Receipts—321 bales; same day last year, 47 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.10; extra prime, $1.12; fancy $1.15, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime 80c., extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, $1.05 @$1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 1x@15 per pound; shoulders, 9@10c.; sides, dull, 9@10c.

EGGS—Firm at 14c. pe. dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull Springs, 12 1-2@ 25c.; Grown, 25@30c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

PEAS—White, No sales; clay; $1.15@$1.20.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 95@ $1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 1-2@4c per pound.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

New York, September 2.—Holiday in local cotton, coffee and sugar markets.

Port Movement.

Galveston, New Orleans—Holiday.

Mobile—Steady, 10 1-8c.; net receipts, 787 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 8,466 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 10 1-8c., net receipts, 1,178 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 321 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 705 bales.

Baltimore-New York—Holiday.

Boston—Quiet, 10.95; net receipts, 92 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.20; net receipts, 70 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Quiet. 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 8,425 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 10 7-16c.; net receipts, 3,961 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 10 1-2c.; net receipts 166 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 366 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 100 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 10 5-8c.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 2.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans steady; sixty days, 3 1-4@3 1-2 per cent.; ninety days, 3 1-2@3 3-4; six months, 4@4 1-4.

Prime mercantile paper, 4 1-4@4 1-2 per cent.; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills with actual business in bankers bills at 486.30@486.35 for demand and at 484.30@484.35 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 485@487. Commercial bills, 483 3-4@484 1-4. Bar silver, 66 1-4. Mexican dollars, 46 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg	104 1-4
U. S. refunding, 2s cou	104 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	103 3-4
U. S. 3s cou.	103 3-4
U. S. New 4s. reg	133
U. S. 4s new cou	133
U. S. old 4s reg	103 3-4
U. S. 4s old cou	104 3-4
American Tobacco 4s cert	76
American Tobacco, 6s cert	116 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	101 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	105 1-4
L. & N. Unified, 4s	104 1-4
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	90 1-2
Southern Railway, 5s	121 1-2
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	97 3-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	82 5-8
American Sugar Refining	138 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line	166 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio	112
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	97
Chesapeake & Ohio	54 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	148 3-4
Manhattan L.	164
New York Central	148 7-8
Norfolk & Western	84 7-8
Norfolk & Western, pfd	92
People's Gas	103 1-2
Reading	115 1-2
Reading, 1st pfd	91 1-2
Reading, 2nd pfd	93 3-4
Southern Pacific	66 1-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	119 3-8
Southern Railway	35 1-4
Southern Railway, pfd	100
Tenn., Coal & Iron	86
U. S. Steel	36 1-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	103 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	32
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	106
S. A. L., Com. ask'd	23 1-2
S. A. L., pfd.	44 1-2@45 1-2
Standard Oil	619
Western Union	94

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, September 2.—Wet weather northwest was the principal cause of a firm market here to-day. At the close, wheat for December delivery was up 1-8c. Corn is up 1-8 cents. Oats and provisions are practically unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
Sept	79¼	80	79¼	79⅝
Dec	81¼	81⅞	81¼	81⅝
May	84¾	85	84⅜	84¾
Corn, No. 2.—				
Sept, old	53⅛	53¼	52½	52⅞
Sept. new	52⅞	52⅞	52½	52⅞
Dec., old	45⅝	45⅝	..	..
Dec., new	43½	43⅝	43½	43⅝
May	43⅛	43⅝	43¾	43¾
Oats, No. 2.—				
Sept	25½	25⅝	25⅛	25¼
Dec.	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26½
May	28¾	28¾	28⅜	28⅝
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Sept	.....	.....	.....	15.45
Oct.	15.20	15.25	15.15	15.22½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	7.90	7.95	7.90	7.95
Dec.	8.02	8.05	7.92½	8.02½
Nov.	7.60	7.60	7.55	7.60
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	8.50	8.67½	8.50	8.67½
Oct.	8.72½	8.80	8.60	8.80

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 90 @94; No. 3 spring wheat, 80@90; No. 2 red, 79 1-4@80; No. 2 corn, 53; No. 2 yellow, 53 1-2; No. 2 oats, 26 1-4; No. 2 white, 27 1-2; No. 3 white, 25½@ 27; No. 2 rye, 60; Good feeding barley, 37@37 1-2; Fair to choice malting, 42@48; No. 1 flax seed, 1.06; No. 1 northwestern, 1.12; Prime timothy seed, 3.65; Mess pork, per bbl., 15.40@15.45; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.95; Short ribs sides (loose), 8.60@8.70; Short clear sides (boxed), 8.87@ 9.12 1-2; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29; Clover, contract grade, 11.00.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, September 2.—Flour, dull; Minnesota, 4.50@5.50; winter patents, 4.25@4.75.

RYE FLOUR—Steady; fair to good, 3.60@4.00.

WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 85 3-4; Options closed, 1-4c. net advance. September, 86 3-8; December, 87 3-8; May, 89 3-8.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2, 60. Options closed net unchanged. September, 59; December, 51 3-4.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed oats, 29@29 1-2.

BUTTER—Quiet, unchanged.

CHEESE—Quiet and firm, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

LARD—Easy; Western steamed, 8 @8.20; refined, easy; continent, 8.45; compound, 5 7-8@6.

PORK—Firm; family, 17.50@18.00; short clear, 14.50@16.50; mess, 15.75@ 16.75.

TALLOW — Steady; city, 4 1-2; country, 4 1-2@4 3-4.

RICE—Quiet; domestic fair to extra, 3 1-2@5 1-2; Japan, nominal.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans open kettle good to choice, 29@35.

PEANUT—Steady, unchanged.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 12@15.

POTATOES—Quiet, unchanged.

CABBAGE—Quiet, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Dull and barely steady. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 23c.; prime summer yellow, 29 1-2@ 30c. Off summer yellow, nominal. Prime white, 32@32 1-2c.; Prime winter yellow, 32@32 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, September 2.—Turpentine firm, 64 to 64 1-2; rosin quiet, strained common to good 3.65 to 3.70.

Savannah, September 2.—Turpentine firm, 61 1-2; sales, 623; receitps, 472; shipments, 1,468.

Rosin, firm; sales, 1,710; receipts, 1,861; shipments, 7,651. Quote: A. B. C., 3.35; D., 3.65; E., 4.00; F., 4.10; G., 4.15; H., 4.20; I., 4.30; K., 4.35; M., 4.40; N., 4.50; W. G., 4.95; W. W., 5.40.

Charleston, September 2.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

EVER WATCHFUL

A Little Care Will Save Many Wilmington Readers Future Trouble.

Watch the kidney secretions.

See that they have the amber hue of health;

The discharge not excessive or infrequent;

Contain no "brick-dust like" sediment.

Doan's Kidney Pills will do this for you.

They watch the kidneys and cure them when they're sick.

Wilmington testimony proves it.

P. C. LeMoyne, contractor, of 223 North Seventh streets, says: "I did not know that the trouble with my back was caused by my kidneys not acting properly, although I noticed the secretions from those organs were dark and very irregular, sometimes free and at other times scanty. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and went to Bellamy's drug store and got a box. I was surprised at the result, for I have not had backache since I used them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no other. **

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Stmr. Navahoe, Bunnell, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Albuera (Br) 2,259 tons, Grady, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Kate B. Ogden, 541 tons, Lamson, C. D. Maffitt.

S. M. Byrd, 430 tons, Nash, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 2, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—20 barrels tar; 32 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—5 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 83 barrels rosin; 22 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—303 bales cotton; 6 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 34 barrels tar; 24 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—6 bales cotton; 26 casks spirits turpentine; 160 barrels rosin; 9 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Stmr. Compton—7 bales cotton; 17 casks spirits turpentine; 142 barrels rosin; 142 barrels rosin; 10 barrels tar.

Schr. J. D. Piggott—7 casks spirits turpentine; 81 barrels rosin.

Total—321 bales cotton; 61 casks spirits turpentine; 474 barrels rosin; 73 barrels tar; 81 barrels crude turpentine.

TO-MORROW THAT BIG FAYETTEVILLE EXCURSION.

Of Course, You are Going, Else You Will Be Mighty Sorry.

Have you made up your minds to take in that delightful trip to Fayetteville to-morrow, Labor Day, via the fast and famous Atlantic Coast Line? If so, remember that the train will leave the depot at 7:30 A. M., and in view of the fact that there will be a tremendous crowd it will be absolutely necessary to be on hand early. Don't wait until the train is ready to go, but get there in time for a seat. There will be no crowding, as the management will allow only a certain number on board, and all who are successful in getting on will have the pleasure of enjoying a comfortable ride, which will not be characterized by jostling and crowding. The fare for this great trip is only $1.00. What more does one want in the way of an excursion? Such an offer was never before presented to the Wilmington public, and those who fail to take in this trip before the season closes will have occasion for regret. **

AN ANNUAL LABOR DAY TREAT.

Fayetteville is the most popular excursion resort in the interior of the State, and the announcement that a popular priced excursion is to be run to this beautiful and historic city is hailed with delight by hundreds. Never has the desire to go been greater, and never have there been more attractions and features to please visitors; and all in all those who take advantage of the Big Excursion that Thos. H. Knight runs this year on Labor Day will be assured a most delightful time.

Train will leave Atlantic Coast Line Depot at 7:30 A. M. and will leave Fayetteville on the return at 12:00 o'clock midnight. Round trip only $1.00. aug 18-tf.

SPECIAL RATES TO HOT SPRINGS, ARK., VIA SEABOARD.

The SEABOARD announces rate of one first-class fare plus $2.00 from all points in North Carolina to Hot Springs, Ark., Eureka Springs, Ark., and Eldorado Springs, Mo. Tickets will be sold first and third Tuesday's in July, August and September, final limit, sixty days from date of sale, but not to extend beyond October 31st.

For information apply to your nearest Agent or address,

C. H. GATTIS, T. P. A.,—
jy16-tf** Raleigh, N. C.

Very Low Summer Excursion Rates to Western North Carolina Resorts Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

On sale daily; good till October 31st, with stop-over privilege.

Ashville and return	$14.90
Henderson and return	14.45
Hickory and return	10.70
Hot Springs and return	16.50
Newton and return	10.15
Statesville and return	10.15
Waynesville and return	16.50
Blowing Rock and return	15.80
Lenoir and return	11.30
Lincolnton and return	8.75
Rutherfordton and return	10.70
Shelby and return	9.65

In addition to the Summer Excursion tickets, we will sell week-end tickets to the following resorts at very low rates:

Lincolnton and return	$5.05
Hickory and return	5.35
Cliffs and return	6.10
Lenoir and return	6.65
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(Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$1,091,938.54	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	335,000 00	Surplus and Net Profits	155,413.36
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	300,000.00
Cash on hand and in Banks	545,233.50	Deposits	1,241,758.68
Total	$1,997,172.04	Total	$1,997,172.04

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS.

August 25th, 1901, $624,916.23
August 25th, 1903, $1,219,733.21.
August 25th, 1905, $1,241,758.68.

H. C. McQUEEN, President.
J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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The Schooner "William Neely" has just arrived in Port with 100 carloads SALT for us. She will begin discharging the first of next week. We are in shape to take care of your orders promptly. We advise our customers to rush their orders in as salt is a good purchase on the present market. We can ship mixed cars of FINE SALT, ICE CREAM SALT, ROCK SALT and DAIRY SALT. Send orders at once.

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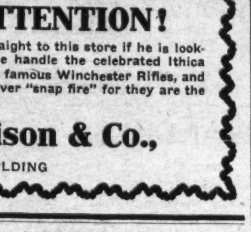

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—Rocky Mount tobacco men say they will sell more tobacco there this year than last. While the week is lighter in weight more acres were planted the present season than last.

—The Composite Tile Company, of Raleigh, was incorporated Friday with $125,000 authorized and $15,000 subscribed capital. The incorporators are W. P. Rose, D. J. Rose and E. J. Porter, all of Raleigh.

—A large force of men are at work on the new hotel which is being erected in Rocky Mount and nothwithstanding the fact that house building is going on at an unexampled rate, the demand seems to be greater than the supply.

—The Dixie Milling Co., Hedrick, Folst & Beck, proprietors, reported last week as to building roller-flour mills, will erect a three-story building 36x40 feet and equip as flour and feed mill. Machinery has been purchased. About $8,000 will be invested.

—Hertford is to build a cotton seed-oil mill and ice factory, and for that purpose a charter has been granted to the Eastern Cotton Oil Co., with $25,000 capital stock and privilege of increasing to $100,000, by W. N. Gregory, W. H. White and E. V. Perry, to operate a cottonseed-oil mill and ice factory.

—For some time the Statesville Oil Mill Company has been contemplating establishing an ice factory and fertilizer plant in Bloomfield, near the oil mill, and now the gentlemen behind the proposed plants announce that a building will be erected this Falt, and that an ice factory certainly, and in all probability a fertilizer plant will be put in operation next Spring.

—At Kansas City, Mo., on Thursday, Capt. J. D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, N. C., was re-elected president of the National Firemen's Association, in session in that city. Mr. S. J. Bernard, of Asheville, was elected vice president, both elections being by acclamation. The next meeting of the association will be held in Roanoke, Va., in 1906.

—The United States Chrome & Nickel Co. has been incorporated, with an authorized capital stock of $500,000, to develop deposits of chrome, nickel and silicate in Buncombe county, N. C. J. Turner Morehead, of New York, is president; Hardin Page, of Philadelphia, Pa., vice-president; Jonathan Jenks, of Philadelphia, secretary, and George F. Seaward, of New York, treasurer; offices of the company at 93 Cedar street, New York.

—Charlotte Chronicle: There is no discounting the thrift of Gaston county. The Gazette to-day says that "there's enough ready money in the banks of Gaston county to enable our folks to go to Dallas next Monday morning and snap up the entire $300,000 issue of road bonds twice over, and then have enough cash left to build a hundred thousand dollar cotton mill." The Gazette points to the exhibit of the county banks in substantiation of its claim.

—In the Superior Court at Fayetteville on Friday, Line Robinson, the negro who shot and killed his brother-in-law in Fayetteville on the 7th of June and spent the early morning hours on an officer's door step, waiting to surrender himself, was convicted of manslaughter, and was sentenced to the roads for five years.

—At Weldon on Friday, the jury awarded $5,000 damages to Lonnie Daniel, who sued the Roanoke Mill Co., for the loss on an arm.

—A dispatch from Newbern on Friday says: A sad and unexpected death occurred in Newbern last night at 12:30 o'clock when Dr. E. F. Early, a young and prominent dentist, breathed his last after an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Early about eight years ago cast his lot among our people, soon afterwards married and made this his permanent home. He leaves a wife and one daughter, five years old. His remains will be carried to Louisburg, the former home of his wife.

—The Scotish Chief is urging water works for Maxton.

—A very mysterious murder trial is in progress in Salisbury. Elmore Phillips, a twelve-year-old negro boy, is charged with murdering his step-father, Will McChatham, near Cleveland, N. C., June 15th. The boy, who was mad at his step-father for whipping him a few days before, shot him while he was taking a nap at dinner time, blowing his head off with a shot gun. Not being strong enough to carry the dead body, the boy hitched a horse to it and dragged it about a quarter of a mile away from the house, and hid it in a plum thicket. McCatham's wife is also concerned in the affair.

—A dispatch from Asheville on Friday says: Manager Spears Reynolds, of the Grand Opera House, this morning received a telegram from W. H. Barton, of Chicago, manager for Mr. Olson, who is to wrestle Prof. A. Ono September 15th, saying that the latter has just been mailed containing $100 forfeit money and signed articles for the match. Mr. Hirano, manager for Prof. Ono, this morning deposited with Mr. Reynolds a check for $100 as a guarantee that Prof. Ono will appear on the Grand Opera House stage September 15th to wrestle the Chicago athlete. In his telegram this morning Barton said that he and Mr. Olson would arrive in Asheville next Tuesday, September 5th. Prof. Schoenfeld, of New Orleans, who is to referee the match, will reach Asheville either Sunday or Monday. The articles signed by Profs. Olson and Ono are similar to those under which Prof. Ono and Mr. Frisbee wrestled. The winner of the bout is to receive $500 and the loser $300. Olson will wear the same kind of shirt known as the jiu jitsu shirt that Frisbee wore.

—Raleigh News and Observer: The question of compulsory attendance of children at school in Raleigh was discussed at the regular meeting of the Raleigh township school committee and there was talk of the truant officer. The compulsory school law for Raleigh township was passed by the Legislature at its session this year and it is mandatory, providing for fines and penalties for violations of its provisions and for the proper carrying out of the law. The schools open on the 18th of September and the law is then in effect. The act provides that every child in the township between the ages of 8 and 12, who are in proper physical and mental condition shall attend some private or public school during the session of the public school of nine months. The only exception made is for necessary absence, this to be excused by the school committee or the Superintendent of Public Schools of the township. The law stipulates that every parent or guardian shall see that the children in his charge attend, and if they violate this law it is to be a misdemeanor, punishable by fine not to exceed $10, or by imprisonment not exceeding ten days, Justice of the Peace to have jurisdiction with the right of appeal on the part of the offender.

SPECIAL RATES VIA S. A. L. RAILWAY.

Richmond, Va. — Grand Fountain, United Order True Reformers, One fare plus 25 cents. Tickets sold September 3rd-6th, final limit September 14th.

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Denver Col.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic, September 4th-7th, Special Low Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs or and Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., September 16th-23rd. One fare plus $1.25. Tickets sold September 13th-14th-15th, final limit September 25th, with privilege of extension.

Richmond, Va. — Farmers' National Congress, September 12th-22nd. One first-class fare plus 25 cents. Tickets sold September 10th-11th-12th, final limit September 25th.

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Suburban Trolley Schedule.
In Effect June 1, 1905.

Front & Princess St., Wilmington. Leave.	The Pavilion Wrightsville Beach. Leave.
..... (Daily)	6:00 A. M.
6:30 A. M. (Daily ex. Sun.)	7:15 A. M.
7:00 A. M. (Daily)	7:45 A. M.
7:30 A. M. (Daily ex. Sun.)	8:15 A. M.
8:00 A. M. (Daily)	8:45 A. M.
8:00 A. M. "	8:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M. "	9:15 A. M.
9:00 A. M. "	9:45 A. M.
9:30 A. M. "	10:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M. "	10:45 A. M.
10:30 A. M. "	11:15 A. M.
11:00 A. M. "	11:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M. "	12:15 P. M.
12:00 M. "	12:45 P. M.
12:30 P. M. "	1:15 P. M.
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6:30 P. M. "	7:15 P. M.
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10:00 P. M. "	10:45 P. M.
10:30 P. M. "	11:15 P. M.
11:00 P. M. "	11:45 P. M.
12:15 P. M. Owl Car	.....

A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS.

Trains Arriving Wilmington.	Due at Beach.
A. C. L.. 10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.. 12:30 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
S. A. L.. 12:45 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
A. C. L.. 1:40 P. M.	2.35 P. M.
A. C. L.. 6:00 P. M.	7:05 P. M.
A. C. L.. 8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
S. A. L.. 8:50 P. M.	9:35 P. M.
A. C. L.. 11:45 P. M.	12:45 A. M.

Trains Leaving Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
S. A. L.. 7:00 A. M.	6:00 A. M.
A. C. L.. 8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.. 9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.. 2:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.. 3:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
A. C. L.. 3:45 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
A. C. L.. 6:50 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

BAGGAGE.

Arriving. Arrive in Wilmington.	Arrive at Beach.
A. C. L.. 10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.. 12:30 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
S. A. L.. 12:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
A. C. L.. 1:40 P. M.	4:35 P. M.
A. C. L.. 6:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
A. C. L.. 8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.

Leaving. Leaving Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
A. C. L.. 8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.. 9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.. 2:25 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.. 3:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
A. C. L.. 3:45 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
A. C. L.. 6:50 A. M.	5:45 P. M.

Baggage leaving the Beach must be checked at least 15 minutes before leaving time of baggage car.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 56 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 28 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	5 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	7 51 p m
Ar. Baltimore	1 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv Wilmington	6 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charleston	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 15 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jacksville		8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa		6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 25 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

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Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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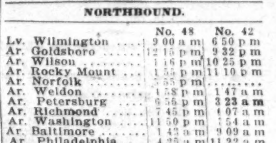

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CHOLERA IS SPREADING THROUGHOUT GERMANY

Fifty-One Cases and Nineteen Deaths —Two at Hamburg—Prompt Measures Taken.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Berlin, September 2.—The record tonight stands at 51 cases of cholera and 19 deaths, a steady increase and a high percentage of mortality. The most uneasy news for America is that a second case exists at Hamburg. It was officially reported late today that a laborer in St. George hospital where the Russian emigrant died has cholera but it is added that the seizure is of a milder form than the previous one. Two of the other fresh cases are in East Prussia indicating that the infected area has widened. The imperial health office as shown by the statement made today to the Associated Press is confident that it has the disease in hand. The most recently reported victims are among the Russian rivermen in quarantine. Professor Adolph Kafka, Professor Koch's successor as head of the institute of infectious diseases, has gone to the infected district to direct the measures to confine the disease.

The institute of infectious diseases will be open all night examining secretions taken from the digestive tube of persons who have died under circumstances suggesting cholera. From time to time couriers arrive from some part of Germany with portions of bodies done up hermetically. The ministry of the interior has issued an order covering all Prussia, requiring physicians immediately after the death of any suspected patient to send a messenger with section of the alimentary canal to the institute of infectious diseases for thorough examination.

DANVILLE WILL PLAY BALL.

Joint Stock Association Organized for Virginia State League.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Danville, Va., September 2.—The Danville Baseball Association, a joint stock company capitalized at $2,000 third of the stock already subscribed was organized here to-day for the support of a team in the proposed Virginia State League next year. The proposed league will comprise the cities of Richmond, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Lynchburg, Roanoke and Danville, with possibly Charlottesville and Peterburg. The Virginia-North Carolina pennant winners which has been playing independent ball since the disbandment of the league, was finally disbanded, several of the players being signed for the team next year. The men behind the proposed stock company are among the most substantial people in the city.

TWO WHITE PRISONERS ESCAPE.

Made Rope of Blankets and Let Themselves Out.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Danville, Va., September 2.—Jack Carter, serving a term for malicious assault, and John T. Blackwell, charged with criminal assault, both young white men, made their escape from the Henry county jail at Martinsville, Va., at 3 o'clock this morning by boring a hole through the wall of the prison in the second story and lowering themselves to the ground by means of blankets knotted together. Both men made their escape and have not been recaptured, although officers have been on their trail all day. The escape was one of the most daring ever attempted in this section. The improvised rope did not extend to the ground, but the men took desperate chances and jumped the balance of the way.

PANAMA CANAL CONSTRUCTION

Consulting Engineers to Visit Ithmus Last of Month.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Washington, September 2.—The board of consulting engineers of the Panama canal today discussed various details of organization. While no formal action has yet been taken it has been practically determined that the board will accept the invitation of Chairman Shonts to visit the isthmus the last of the month when the commission meets at Panama. It was further decided that on Friday a discussion would be held about the size of the locks, which is a very important question now that larger ships are being built every year. When this has been decided it will be possible to figure out the cost of a lock canal and to compare this with the cost of a sea level canal.

WIFE MURDERER HANGED.

J. W. Hammond Confessed to Killing Her Because of Infidelity.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Danville, Va., September 2.—A special from Winston-Salem, N. C., to the Register says:

J. W. Hammond, was hanged here in the county jail of Forsyth county at 12:37 o'clock this afternoon for the murder of his wife, Henrietta Hammond, on April 29. The man's neck was broken by the fall and he was pronounced dead in 11 minutes. Hammond made a speech of 20 minutes on the scaffold, in which he acknowledge killing his wife, alleging that she had been untrue to him. Hammond was originally condemned to be hanged on July 20 but was granted a reprieve by the Governor until the present date.

WARM WIRELETS.

Secretary of War Taft and his party including among which is Miss Alice Roosevelt have arived at Hong Kong China. The party will remain three days. The governor of Hong Kong Sir Mathew Nathan and the British colony are feting the visitors.

Secretary Bonaparte yesterday issued an order convening a court martial to meet at the Mare Island navy California, September 15th, for the trial of Commander Lucien Young and Ensign Charles T. Wade, on charges growing out of the fatal explosion on the gunboat Bennington at Sandiego in July.

Joseph P. Killebrew, of Tennessee, has been appointed by Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture, as the tobacco expert of that Department. He will have general charge of the Department in the interest of the tobacco industry and will visit all the tobacco fields and study the conditions throughout the country.

PEACE TREATY ABOUT FINISHED

Last Misunderstanding Settled Quickly Last Night at Conference at Portsmouth

RUSSIAN ARMY REJOICING

Peace Treaty Can't Be Signed by Japanese till Tokio Government is Heard From—Typhoon Has Cut Off Communication.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 2.—With the exception of a single portion of the text "The Treaty of Portsmouth" was completed this evening at a conference in Baron Komura's room and it is barely possible it can be signed on Monday. It consists of sixteen articles. Tonight at 9 o'clock Mr. Witte and Mr. DeMartens and Baron Komura and Mr. Dennison began the reading of the text. The treaty will not be engrossed by the two caligraphers sent by the State Department. At the last moment it was decided to have attachees of the two missions perform the work this week. The articles relating to the non-fortification of the Island of Sakhalin and LaParouse straits and the evacuation of Manchuria were settled. Both parties bind themselves not to fortify the island. LaParouse is to be "open" and Japan agrees not to erect works to command the strait. The articles relating to the evacuation of Manchuria provides that the troops immediately upon the exchange of final ratifications are to be withdrawn respectively to the lines of Mukden and Harbin and the number of "Railroad guards" in ordinary times is limited, but provision is made for the despatch of troops for the protection of the line in case of disorders, upon condition that they are to be immediately withdrawn when their missin is finished. There are said to be four "annexes" to the treaty, covering matters which could not be elaborated in the treaty itself. The Japanese desired that the word describing the status of LaPerouse straits should be "open" but the Russians wanted it distinctly specified that no fortifications should be erected on Japan's side which could support a war fleet or under whose guns a fleet could operate. They did not want the situation to be similar to that of Gibraltar, which, although "open," could, if England desired, be instantly closed.

As to the evacuation of Manchuria, Japan wanted the method and time of the withdrawal of the troops particularized and the number of "railroad guards" which are to remain specified in the bond. To permit this question to be left open would be equivalent to a tacit understanding that Russia was to retain her "sphere of influence" in northern Manchuria and Japan her's in southern Machuria. It would revive in a way the very situation which existed before the war. Control of Manchuria might become a bone of contention leading eventually to another war.

The interruption of communication with Japan may slightly delay the signing of the treaty. The Associated Press can state definitely that no messages have reached the Japanese plenipotentiaries for four days and they are now proceeding under their general instructions. A cable has been received from the Japanese consul at Hong Kong saying that he could not tell when communication would be restored. The typhon which interrupted communications was very severe but it is not known whether it effected both the land and submarine lines. Baron Komura has not yet decided whether, upon the engrossment of the treaty, he will assume the responsibility of signing it without direct authorization. If he does not, however, the delay would be only a matter of two or three days as a special steamer could go from Shanghai to Nagasaki in 50 hours. The Japanese say the Emperor's failure to send a message of thanks to President Roosevelt is undoubtedly due to the interruption of communication.

To Contain Seventeen Articles.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 2.—It is understood that the treaty will consist of 17 articles, preceded by a short preamble in which, it is asserted on good authority, no allusion will be made to the action of President Roosevelt in bringing about the peace conference which led to the conclusion of the treaty.

Russian Army Glad Over Peace.

Gunshu Pass., Sept. 2.—The news of peace as contained in M. Witte's message to Emperor Nicholas was communicated to the troops today and produced a good impression. The possibility of soon returning home awakened sincere feelings of gratitude toward M. Witte, who has so well defended the honor and dignity of Russia in the Far East, at the same time saving tens of thousands of Russian lives, particularly valuable to the country at the moment of the awakening to better things. The hope was expressed ed that the peace will be lasting and satisfactory to both combatants. The opinion here is that the ending of the 18 months war so unfortunate to Russia, was due to M. Witte's energy and firmness.

Waiting for Treaty to be Signed.

St. Petersburg, September 2.—6:20 P. M.—The Associated Press was informed at the war office at 4 o'clock this afternoon that no formal orders have yet been given regarding the armistice, that no steps have yet been taken to terminate the movements of troops going to the Far East, and that no recent mobilization has been discontinued. In fact no steps whatever have yet been taken toward putting an end to the regular work of shipping men and supplies to Manchuria or any other business connected with keeping the Manchurian army on a war footing. The explanation was that no orders would be given to these ends under the details of the formal announcement of armistice are fully understood.

TWO LYNCHED IN MISSISSIPPI.

Negroes Hung by Mob For Assaulting Well Known Farmer.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 2.—A special from Silver City, Miss., says: Arthur Woodward and Talcum Woodward, negroes, were lynched here today by a mob of fifty persons. The negroes were in custody of Marshal W. B. Jackson who was boarding a train when the mob appeared and took possession of the prisoners. They were taken to the outskirts of the town and hanged to a tree. The negroes had assaulted Andrew White a well known farmer and seriously beat him.

MAD MAN'S MAD FREAK ENDS IN TRAGIC DEATH

Shot Himself while Posse Looked on—Had Fired on People and Burned Houses.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Lorain, O., September 2.—On the point of capture by a sheriff's posse Peter Pitts, the maniac who terrorized the country side from Avon Beach to Lorain for three days, is dead by his own hand. He shot himself in the head to-day in full view of the band of armed farmers who were pursuing him, and sank dead upon the ground.

The three days in which he ran amuck through a territory of twenty miles in extent firing upon men and women, burning farm houses and driving the population from their homes to places of safety in the city, marked one of the strangest and most sensational episodes in the history of the country. Young, powerful, intelligent, Pitts, turned manica was more powerful than an ordinary man would be under similar circumstances. Farmers were afraid to approach him even with loaded rifles and shot guns. His first deed of violence was on Wednesday, when he fired three times from a cornfield upon Miss Mary Heckler. His next was when he set the torch to the Heckler homestead, burning it to the ground. Afterward he attempted to fire another house, but was driven away. Friday morning he plied ties upon the tracks of the Lake Shore electric line, but failed in his object. The motorman of the Toledo limited car discovered the obstruction in time to save himself and his passengers from destriction. The climax came when word was received that Pitts, still armed and raving, had been seen at his grandfather's home on French Creek. Thither a posse of 100 men galloped without stopping, while the farm houses in the neighborhood were locked and barred by their frantic inmates. At French Creek the posse was met by the news that Pitts had been refused shelter by his grandfather, and was then bound down the Stoney Ridge road.

The posse followed. At a turn of the road they saw him in the distance, and they formed, ready to fire. He turned watched the squad a moment, drew his revolver, vaulted a fence, and then, while the posse grimly watched, he shot himself four times and fell a corpse.

DISCHARGED FOR TESTIFYING.

Two Men Bounced from Government Printing Office.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, September 2.—Public Printer Palmer has requested the resignations of Oscar J. Ricketts, foreman of the job division of the government printing office, basing his action upon their alleged continued acts of insubordination. Both officials have refused to comply with the request, on the ground that they are not required to do so until furnished with sepcific instances of insubordination and given sufficient opportunity for reply, as required by the civil service regulations.

Mr. Rickets to-night made a brief statement of the case, at the same time speaking in behalf of Mr. Hay. His statement says that "they know of no reason why this request should be made at this time unless it arises from the facts that they were called to witnneses and testified in the matter of the investigaion of he purchase of certain type-setting machines and in that respect they gave evidence fairly and honestly as they were obliged to do under their oaths."

SOFT YARN SPINNERS MEET.

Prices Advanced Because of Increased Price of Cotton.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Atlanta, September 2.—The Southern Soft Yarn Spinners' Association met here today in a called session with a large and enthusiastic attendance. A resolution was adopted increasing the prices of different grades of product from one-half to one cent per count and covering the intimation that if the value of the raw product shall increase, a further advance in price may be necessary.

A resolution was also adopted in line with previous action by other manufacturing associations, calling upon the President and Congress to take action toward extending the foreign cotton trade.

An address was delivered on the subject of the exportation of cotton yarns, by William Whittan, editor of the American Cotton Manufacture.

The adjournment was taken subject to the call of the secretary, A. P. Hutchinson, of North Carolina.

CREW HAD DENGUE FEVER.

Schooner From Georgia With Suspicious Cases Aboard.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, September 2.—With a fever patient from Georgia, the schooner Anthony N. Nichols was today detained at quarantine here. The mate was found ill with some sort of fever from which several other members of the crew had suffered during the voyage. The mate was held for observation. The schooner came from Batilla river in Georgia. After a thorough inspection of the schooner's crew four seamen were found to be suffering frm the same fever symptoms as the mate whose case was diagnosed as dengue fever. All were tranferred to Hoffman Island detention station.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American League.

Philadelphia-Washington, rain.
Cleveland, 3; Chicago, 6.
New York, Boston, rain. First game.
New York, 1; Boston, 0. Second game.
St. Louis, 1; Detroit, 10.

National League.

Boston, 1; Brooklyn, 0
Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 2.
Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis, 4.
New York-Philadelphia, rain.

South Atlantic League.

Atlanta, 2; Little Rock, 6. First game
Atlanta, 5; Little Rock, 5. (Called ninth). Second game.
Shreveport, 3; Montgomery, 4.
New Orleans, 1; Nashville, 0.
Birmingham, 4; Memphis, 2. First game.
Birmingham, 0; Memphis, 13. (Seven innings). Second game.

Southern League.

Savannah, 1; Macon, 1.
Columbia, 5; Jacksonville, 2.
Charleston, 4; Augusta, 1.

YELLOW FEVER IS SPREADING

Country Around New Orleans and Many Towns in Mississippi are Infected

SIX CASES AT PENSACOLA

Another New Case at Vicksburg, But Origin is Mystery—Fever is Gradually Losing its Grip in New Orleans.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New Orleans, September 2.—The following is the official report of the yellow fever situation to 6 P. M., today:

New cases to date, 37; total cases to date, 1,995.

Deaths today 3; total deaths to date, 284.

New foci, 10.

Cases under treatment, 338.

Cases discharged, 1,373.

Riot Threatened at Patterson.

Danger of yellow fever riots at Patterson was reported today in a telegram to the State Board of Health from Dr. C. L. Horton, who is representing the Board at Patterson. Threats have been made against the Emergency Hospital and the physicians who are fighting yellow fever. Horton telegraphed that rioting by Italians is feared. Several Italians have died of yellow fever at Patterson and the doctors today were warned to be on their guard. Dr. Horton immediately ordered a guard to be thrown about the hospital, apprehending that an attempt might be made to burn it. A meeting of citizens was held and an organization formed to protect the hospitals, the physicians, the nurses and the town itself from violence. Dr. Horton telegraphed to Governor Blanchard and the Governor replied that the doctor must protect the hospital under all circumstances and that arms would be sent to him for that purpose. The sheriff will take charge of the volunteer guards. Dr. Horton said that there was not an Italian in the hospital at this time. As to the fever situation itself, he said it was improving, there being only two cases reported today.

Situation Improving.

Favorable reports of the yellow fever situation, both in New Orleans and in the country were again the rule today and with increasing evidence that all danger of a repetition of the devastating epidemic of 1878 is past, public alarm is slowly disappearing in the rural regions. The appearance of sporadic cases of fever at Vicksburg has had a helpful effect in New Orleans because it made Vicksburg realize that the danger does not lie in infection of freight. Dr. White today said that hereafter the cities of Natchez and Vicksburg would accept Marine Hospital certificates for freight and for passengers.

Infected Mississippi Towns.

Jackson, Miss., September 2.—Mississippi's yellow fever summary tonight is as follows: Gulfport, eight new cases; Vicksburg, one new case. Pearlington two cases under treatment and one suspicious case; Natchez, one new case; Mississippi City, two new cases. The latter are members of the State militia. Five soldiers have been stricken with the disease and all are doing fairly well. Mississippi quarantined tonight against Florida on account of Pensacola infection to which the Atlanta case is traced. There will be no quarantine declared by the State against Atlanta.

Mystery About Vicksburg Cases.

Vicksburg, Miss., September 2.—One additional case of yellow fever, a negress living beyond the northeastern limits of the city, was reported tonight by Dr. Guiteras. So far as can be ascertained the sick woman has not been near the other two cases. Neither has been out of the city for months. As yet the physicians have been absolutely unable to trace the source of infection.

New Case In Pensacola.

Pensacola Fla., September 2.—One new case of yellow fever developed here today within the infected district and within two blocks of where the first case was discovered. This makes six cases developed here within the past four or five days.

YELLOW FEVER IN ATLANTA.

Invited Refugees There and Now There is a Scare.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Atlanta, September 2.—Dr. J. P. Kennedy, city health officer of Atlanta, today announced officially that one case of yellow fever has developed here. The patient is John C. Caruthers, a mechanic who arrived here Thursday from Pensacola. He was taken to the detention hospital outside the city limits yesterday and the case was diagnosed as yellow fever to-day. Every precaution is being taken and no fear of a spread of the disease is expressed. No case of yellow fever has ever existed here that was not brought from outside.

Anxiety In Augusta.

Augusta, Ga., September 2.—The board of health this evening officially declared a quarantine against passengers from Atlanta on account of yellow fever there. There are many Augustans in Atlanta just now and considerable anxiety is felt.

Atlanta In No Danger.

Washington, September 2.—Atlanta is not regarded as infectable territory for yellow fever by the public health and Marine Hospitable Service, and no spread of the disease is anticipated. This view is based on the experience of the past, as cases of the fever have several times appeared in Atlanta but have never produced a new case. Surgeon General Wyman said tonight he had received a report of the case developed there today from Surgeon Wertenbaker of the Marine Hospital Service stationed there. The infected person had been removed several miles out of town and screened. Dr. Wyman said, however, that the yellow fever mosquito does not breed in Atlanta and for that reason no spread of the disease need be feared.

On account of the announcement that yellow fever existed here, Dr. C. P. Wertenbaker, of the Marine Hospital Service, to-day stopped issuing health certificates to travelers. This undoubtedly will work great inconvenience. The Georgia State Board of Health to-day decided to advise the health officials of the larger cities and towns of the State, to quarantine against infected points.

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HANGING AT CLINTON.

Ashley Moore Paid Death Penalty for Criminal Assault.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., September 2.—Ashton Moore, the negro who was convicted at the May term of Sampson court, was hanged here to-day. The execution was inside the jail enclosure and only about 20 people witnessed it. The execution was by Sheriff Aman, assisted by Deputy Sheriff Turner and they performed their unpleasant duty well. Everything in detail was done beforehand and not a blunder was made by the officers, who showed every consideration for the prisoner while under their care.

The unfortunate negro held up well till the death warrant was read shortly before he was taken from the cell, when he seemed to collapse and faint away, though he soon revived. He showed sufficient nerve, and strength to walk to the gallows and ascend the steps. When the opportunity was given him to say what he desired, he used the time in prayer, though his words were scarcely audible. He requested that those present pray for him and also requested that all shake hands with him which they did. The crime for which he was convicted was criminal assault upon an 11-year-old colored girl, though he stoutly denied his guilt of any crime. The drop fell at three minutes past 3 and in nineteen minutes thereafter Doctors J. O. Matthews, G. M. Cooper and R. H. McLean, the attending experts, pronounced life extinct.

The body was given a decent burial at the county farm.

A few days ago the doomed negro professed the Roman Catholic faith in the presence of Father Irvin, who was attentive and kind to him during his incarceration. The first sentence of the court was that the execution take place on June 15th and through the efforts of faithful counsel a respite was granted till July 17th, and a second one till September 2nd.

(By Associated Press.)

Charlotte, N. C., September 2.—The first legal execution for criminal assault in Sampson county took place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at Clinton, N. C., when Ashton Moore, colored, was hanged for an assault on Camilla Brewington. The crime was committed last April. Moore was twice respited by Governor Glenn. Only twenty-five persons witnessed the hanging, admission being by ticket.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for City Pulpits To-day.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Odd Fellows' building, second floor: Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of Lesson sermon: "Substance." All are invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor, Eleventh Sunday after Trinity. English Morning Service, 11 A. M. Vesper Service, 8 P. M. Sunday School 3:30 P. M. Meeting of Luther League, Thursday, 8 P. M. A cordial invitation to all.

St. John's church, Rev. J. Carmichael, D. D., rector: Eleven Sunday after Trinity. Litany Sermon and Holy Communion at 11 A. M.

Fifth Stret M. E. church: Sunday School, 4 P. M.; preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by Adjutant Wiggins, of the Salvation Army.

St. Thomas church: First Mass, 7 A. M. Last Mass, 9:30 A. M. No evening service.

Grace church, corner of Fourth and Grace, Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor: Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor; preaching at 8:15 by Rev. J. A. B. Fry, of Asheville, N. C. Sunday school at 4:30 P. M.

A Wilmingtonian Aboard.

The Star was shown yesterday a copy of a Boston newspaper containing a graphic account of the fire at sea aboard the steamer "Kershaw," of the Merchants' & Miners' Line, which put into Boston. Mr. W. F. Alexander, Jr., an old Wilmington boy, now of Richmond, and a son of County Commissioner W. F. Alexander, was aboard the steamer at the time and writes interestingly of the excitement among the passengers at the time.

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Are You An Honorable Man?

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Price $2.00 the Suit.

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STAR BUSINESS LOCALS!

The Star will send, without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messengers to your place of business or residence for advertisements for our Business Locals department. 'Phone the Star Office, No. 51.

Rates—Twenty-five cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word. Positively, cash in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.

STAR BRANCHES.

For the benefit of those who may find it more convenient, advertisements may be left at the following Branch Offices, where they will receive as prompt and careful attention as it left at the Star Office, and with no additional cost to the advertiser.

JAS. M. HALL'S DRUG STORE—Corner 5th and Castle streets. Phone 192.

W. C. MUNDS' DRUG STORE—Corner 7th and Orange streets. Phone 554.

WM. NIESTLIE, DRUGGIST—S. W. Corner 7th and Red Cross streets. Phone 216.

P. O. HALL'S DRUG STORE—S. E. corner 4th and Harnett streets. Phone 66.

BULLUCK'S DRUG STORE—313 North Front street. Phone 150.

L. B. SASSER'S DRUG STORE—Corner 8th and Market streets. Phone 135.

SOUTH-SIDE DRUG COMPANY—Corner Front and Castle street. Phone 275.

WANTED—TO RENT—BY OCTOBER 1st House of 6 or 8 rooms, centrally located. Address "H" care of The Star. sept2-tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—SMALL SIX-Room House, nicely located. For further information, address Box 488. sept2-2t

LOST—A SQUARE SEAL WATCH Charm with gold trimmings and engraved head. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Star Office. sept2-4t

NOTICE—AS THE REPORT HAS been circulated that I have stopped buying cross-ties, I wish to say it is false. I have no idea of stopping, but will pay the highest cash prices for any amount of long leaf heart pine and cypress ties you offer, gotten out according to my specifications. I would also like to buy large tracts of timber lands suitable for ties, near railroad or water. For further information address R. T. Windley, Agt. for H. J. Spooner, Jr., Box 415, office No. 3 South Water street, Wilmington, N. C. sept2-6t*

AGENTS ARE MAKING $100 A DAY with the Candy Floss Machine. Particulars free. Candy Floss Co., 3 Park Place, New York. sept2-6t

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN of fair education to travel for firm of $250,000 capital. Salary $1,072 per year, payable weekly. Expenses advanced. Address Geo. G. Clows, Wilmington, N. C. sept2-1t*

FOR RENT—FROM OCTOBER 1ST, No. 410 Walnut, 6 rooms and conveniences; No. 315 South Fifth, 7 rooms, all conveniences; Sixth, between Castle and Queen, a new house; Seventh and Dock, next to corner, 7 rooms, an up-to-date house. A store on Water street between Princess and Chesnut. Call on M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. sept3-tf

A COUPLE AND TWO GENTLEMEN can secure board by applying to 716 Market street. sept3-1t

GENTLEMEN DESIRING FURNISH-er Rooms can communicate, or apply for information at B., 113 South Fifth street. sept3-tf

HOT TURTLE SOUP TO-DAY AT the Dixie Cafe, 117 Princess street. sept3-tf

FOR RENT—DESIRABLE STAND for green grocery or beef market. For particulars apply 324 South Fifth St. sept 3-1t*

MISS BESSIE CORE'S SELECT dancing class opens Thursday evening, September 7th at 8:30 o'clock. All the latest ball-room dances taught. Attractive new music, competent assistants. Class meets Mondays and Thursdays of each week at 8:30 o'clock. Private lessons before class. For further information, phone 516. sept3-3t

WANTED — TRUSTWORTHY MAN to manage branch office and distributing depot for large manufacturer. Salary to start with, $1,500 first year, and extra commissions and expenses. Applicant must have good reference and $1,000 cash, capital secured. Experience unnecessary. Address "Manufacturer," 21 West Atwater St., Detroit, Mich. ...sept3,10,17,24 oct1,8-6t

BOYS' PRIVATE SCHOOL—QUIET and desirable location. Competent assistant. Thorough individual instruction and perfect discipline. Address B. B. Hogue, 213 Market street. sept3-1t*

LAST CHANCE TO RENT—SPLEN-did Store, Front street, next to corner Chesnut; Dwelling next to corner Nun street on Second street. See W. A. Dick, Real Estate Agent, Room 306 The Southern. sept3-tf

WRIGHT & SON GET MORE MONEY from property than you can. sep 3-tf

IT PAYS FOR J. G. WRIGHT & SON, to rent your property. sep3 tf

FOR RENT—STORE NUMBER 16 Market street (between Water and Front streets). 20 feet front, 80 feet deep with alley in rear; two floors, sewerage. Apply J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents. sept1-tf

WANTED FOUR REGULAR BOARD-ers, also table boarders. Apply 116 Red Cross street. sept1-tf

COMPOSITORS WANTED — $19.50 per week, non-union, permanent positions to competent men; strike on. Call or address Chicago Typothetae, 1214 Monadnock block, Chicago. sept2-2w

EXCURSION, FISHING TRIP TO Black River, Labor Day, September 4th, on the yacht Clifford, will leave Chesnut Street Wharf, at 5:30 A. M. Fare for round trip, 50c. sept2-2t*

FOR SALE—A COTTAGE IN GOOD order in a good neighborhood for less than $3,000. M. C. Darby & Co., Sale Agents, 114 1-2 Princess street. sep1-tf

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR REMOVED— While traveling in Mexico, I discovered a drug which removes the hair from face, arms, neck or any part of the body instantly and permanently, so will send to anyone without any expense but a postage stamp, full information of treatment which is easily accomplished at home. Don't suffer longer, relief is now yours for the asking. Write now, lest you forget my address. Dorothy Black, 1813 N. 16th St., Philada., Pa. au 29 6-t

HOUSE, SECOND STREET NEXT to corner Nun; Store on Front street, and offices in "Southern" for Rent. City, suburban (including Villa View), and Country property for sale. Rents Collected, Estates Managed. See W. A. Dick, Real Estate and Collecting Agent, Room No. 306 The Southern. au27-tf

FOR SALE — THOROUGHBRED White Wyandotts - Dunstan strain. Prices for chickens $1.00 to $5.00. Eggs 15 for $1.00. Address P. B. Harrison, Johnston, S. C. au27-1m*

WANTED — SECOND GROWTH Short Leaf Cord Wood. Lengths must square up four feet. No wood cut from small trees, nor branches less than four inches diameter, or quartered from logs over twelve inches diameter desired. Will purchase on flats at landings, or placed in our yard at Point Peter. One thousand cord contracts preferred. Creveling-Van Dyck Co., Wilmington, N. C. au23-2w.

$150 BUYS CHICKERING UPRIGHT Piano. Good condition and a bargain. Investigate at once. Stieff's, Front and Grace. Phone 1103. au11-tf

LEARN TELEGRAPHY AND R. R. accounting. $50 to $100 a month salary assured our graduates under bond. Our six schools the largest in America and indorsed by all railroads. Write for catalogue. Morse School of Telegraphy, Cincinnati, O., Buffalo, N. Y., Atlanta, Ga., La Crosse, Wis., Texarkana, Tex., San Francisco, Cal. au1-4m

WE HAVE FOR SALE A BEAUTI-ful Lot 66x165 on Sixth street between Princess and Chesnut. The only lot in that vicinity for sale. For terms, apply to M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate Agents, 114 1-2 Princess street. au 23-tf

HAVE YOU THOUGHT HOW MUCH time worth money to you, can be saved by placing your property with J. G. Wright & Son. You get more rent also, so it pays you doubly. au20-tf

HAVE YOU LOST OR FOUND ANY-thing? Do you want furnished or unfurnished rooms, or have you such rooms to let? If so, advertise in this column of the Star jy28-tf

TEN, FIFTEEN AND TWENTY cents per dozen for Bananas, 60c per bunch up. Also a car of fine Florida Melons expected to arrive tonight. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market Street. je11-tf

GROUND PHOSPHATE LIME—GOOD for Peanuts, Potatoes, all kinds of Truck, Wheat, Oats and Clover. Considerable high grade of phosphate rock in the carbonate of lime. Analysis 80 to 85 per cent. pure carbonate of lime. For prices write R. F. Keith, Wilmington, N. C. je11-tf

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO TRY Bouquet Butter and Royal Cheese. I have just received fresh lot Sunbeam Lobster and Republic Salmon, Canned Sweet Potatoes, French Macaroni, choice lot Fancy Cakes and Crackers. Vegetables and Country Produce in Season. Prompt delivery. Phone 547. S. F. Craig, 605 N. Fourth Street. jy13tf

CABBAGE! CABBAGE! CARLOAD Fne Northern Cabbage, "Willow Run," Finest Creamery Butter Crifting, Full Cream Cheese, none better. Let us have your orders. W. E. Worth & Co., phone 94. au20-1m

FOR SALE OR RENT—FARM OF 15 Acres, located half mile from Ivanhoe, N. C. Nice dwelling house and all necessary out houses. All land under cultivation. Artesian well on place. Good store and business stand. For particulars, address "B" care Star office. au31 3t*

AN INVESTMENT—CORNER 11TH and Dock, two houses and vacant lot; rents $14.00 per month. Splendid renting location. Price right. Apply to J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate and Renting Agents. au31-tf

IF YOU WANT YOUR PROPERTY rented for next year, if you want to get more money out of them, you are now getting—if you want to save hours of time and if you want to be relieved of fusses, of worries—then place your property with J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents, who guarantee you the above results. au31-tf

HOT ROLL FOR SUPPER at FAR-ris Bakery ("every day") the only Bakery in city baking twice a day, at Farriss, 109 South Front street. au31-tf

WANTED—A COMPETENT LUMBER Inspector. Address Whiteville Lumber Co., Whiteville, N. C. au 31 2w

FOR SALE, TWO-STORY SIX-ROOM house just completed, next door north A. J. Howell, Jr., on Ninth street between Dock and Orange streets. All modern conveniences and up-to-date in every respect. Apply to R. M. McIntire. au22-tf

LETTER - HEADS, BILL - HEADS, Statements and other Commercial printing turned out neatly and expeditiously at The Morning Star Printery. apr 4 tf

TO THE PUBLIC.

It is the purpose of the undersigned to establish and publish in the near future in the city of Wilmington a daily paper to be called "The Independent" which shall echo as far as possible through its columns the sentiments and opinions of the thoughtful people of Wilmington. As its name implies the paper will be thoroughly independent in all things but it will always advocate those principles which conduce best to the interests and material welfare of all our people, but in no instance will it fail to criticise with deserved severity the shortcomings and negligences of individuals in power as well as of corporations, many of whom have violated the written law, but plain justice shall be meted to all and conservatism shall mark the course of the paper. Its main purpose will be to diffuse knowledge and disseminate news, not to moralize nor teach, but it will not approve of the fanaticism of the zealots who have done much injury, brought reproach upon a political party and have consigned to a political grave those following their behests. These zealots prefer to pluck the splinter from another's eye, while blinded by the log of wood in their own. Upon the gracious support of our people we rely for success but for a while we crave the kindly consideration of and the indulgence of our friends.

THE INDEPENDENT CO.,
W. L. DeRosset, Jr.,
A. L. DeRosset,
Benj. Motte.

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STATEMENT.

Of the condition of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business August 25th, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans	$583,014.11
Demand Loans	21,500.00
Due from Banks	38,139.55
Furniture and Fixtures	100.00
Cash Items	219.33
Gold Coin	400.00
Silver Coin	492.00
Currency	1,835.00
Total	$646,000.08

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Profit and Loss	20,150.76
Accrued Interest Due Depositors	3,500.00
Dividend unpaid	21.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	35.00
Deposits	572,293.32
Total	$646,000.08

I Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Correct Attest.
B. SOLOMON,
L. B. ROGERS,
J. G. L. GIESCHEN,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 31st day of August, 1905.
(Signed.) S. M. BOATWRIGHT,
Notary Public.

au 30-1wk.

GoodLuck
AND
Spoons

298 Cases Good Luck Powder. Fresh Goods. Fine Spoon Free with Each Can.

5 Case Lots Delivered.

W. B. COOPER,
SOLE AGENT.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

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SOUTHERN ELECTRIC CO.

In compiling an account of the industries of Wilmington, we desire particularly to mention those establishments that are the best representatives of each special line of production and who are contributing to the importance of the locality. The Southern Electric Company was established less than a year ago, in anticipation of a fast growing demand for superior electrical appliances and their installation. Specialties in which they excel include wiring in all its forms, arc and incandescent plants, hotel, office, house annunciators, private telephones, electric fixtures, signals, speaking tubes, electrical call bells, burglar and fire alarms and electrical work of every description. They give unvarying satisfaction in all cases and enjoy the confidence and patronage of architects, builders and property owners. J. O. Brock is the president and John Hall the secretary and treasurer of this progressive concern.

CHAS. D. FOARD.

A leading concern in Wilmington in the hardware business is the firm of Chas. D. Foard, 29 south Front Street. Careful housewives, farmers' wives and others greatly appreciate the economy of purchasing stoves, ranges, lamps and house-furnishing goods generally of this concern. In the lines of house-furnishings the stock is unusually complete and very attractive. His lamps and tin-ware should be seen to be appreciated. Here you will find dependable cutlery, farmers', plumbers' and mechanics' tools in large variety and at prices that will pleases you. Chas D. Foard does both a wholesale and retail business and is prominent in Odd Fellow circles.

WILMINGTON PRESSING CLUB.

A concern that has been in business for over 11 years and done first-class work for the particular and dressy people, is the Wilmington Pressing Club, being under the able management of J. C. King. All kinds of cleaning, dyeing, pressing and repairing is done scientifically and in first-class manner by skilled hands and on short notice. At the present time there are over 600 members who have their garments kept in first-class order by the Wilmington Pressing Club, located at 14 north Second Street. All orders are called for and delivered. Mr. King, the manager, aims to have only first-class work done and at very reasonable prices.

WILLIAM E. SPRINGER & CO.

The leading exponents of the modern hardware trade in Wilmington is the firm of William E. Springer & Co. They occupy over 10,000 square feet of space, and they are recognized headquarters for every description of hardware, tin and agate ware, fine cutlery and builders', blacksmiths', and plumbers' supplies. In addition they offer unusual inducements in farm and garden tools, also plows, cultivators, and the celebrated "Wood's" harvesters an inspection of same will convince you of its merits. In addition you will find in this establishment leading makes of paints, guns and ammunition, the celebrated "Buck's" Stoves and ranges, harness, barb and poultry wire, and other articles too numerous to mention. Mr. William E. Springer is prominent in several fraternal organizations and is highly respected, and is doing much to promote the material prosperity of Wilmington.

WILLIAMS BROS.

A firm of high character and that is recognized as an important factor in the growth of Wilmington is the house of Williams Bros., wholesale grocers and commission merchants. This is one of the oldest firms of Wilmington, who in 1897 succeeded Williams & Murchison, who started the business in 1866. Their large warehouse occupying two floors and covering over 10,000 square feet of space is covered with heavy and light groceries. All consignments entrusted to their care are given prompt, careful, and honest attention, and producers are given highest returns justified by the market. D. M. Williams, J. K. Williams and A. S. Williams are the firm members. It is sufficient to say that they have gained the confidence of the public and that it is fully deserved.

COLONIAL INN.

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This is one of the busiest and most popular hosteiries in Wilmington. The Colonial Inn, which compares favorably with any hotel in the State, has been under the management of Mine Host Goldsborough for over a year The house is a three story structure containing finely appointed sleeping rooms, several elegant parlors etc. The dining room is cheerful, handsomely arranged and has a seating capacity for a large number of guests. The cuisine is a feature. Special attention is devoted to the menu which comprises all the delicacies of the season. The service is unexcelled. Fine baths, electric lights and Mr. Goldsborough operates a bus to and from all trains. He leaves nothing undone that will in any way conduce to the comfort and convenience of his guests.

THE WORTH CO.

In any community, populous with industrial and commercial life, there are no more important business enterprise than those of the wholesale grocer. In Wilmington the well known firm of The Worth Co. occupies a front rank. The trade influence of this enterprising house reaches over a vast territory. They carry a full line of the popular brands of supplies in the grocery world and are special agents for many of the best known. The company are also commission merchants in cotton and naval stores which they handle in very large quantities. Their warehouse occupies two floors covering over 25,000 square feet of space and they have every facilities for shipping. The house was established in 1850 and incorporated in 1900. Mr. B. G. Worth is the president and C. W. Worth the manager of this enterprising concern. They are both highly esteemed and interested in the upbuilding of this hustling community.

J. VAN B. METTS.

One of the most active and efficient insurance agencies in Wilmington, is that operated for the past six years by J. Van B. Metts, of 109 Princess Street. The business done is a large one and includes some of the oldest and strongest companies in the world, among them being Alliance of Philadelphia, Hartford of Connecticut, the North British and Mercantile, Caledonia of Edenburg, Phoenix, Norwich Union, Commercial Union, New Hampshire, Hanover, Piedmont of Charlotte, N. C., and others whose assets aggregate over $125,000,000. Also the Maryland Casualty Co., who issue accident, health, plate glass, burglary and employers' liability. He is popular in the order of Elks, Commodore of the Carolina Yacht Club, second oldest yacht club in the United States, and is secretary and director in several building associations, president of local board of Fire Underwriters and ever alert to promote the best interests of Wilmington.

A. D. BROWN.

This old established and popular dry goods concern presents you with one of the most fashionable lines of dry goods and carpets in the city. Mr. Brown extends a cordial invitation to you to inspect the immense stock of fall and winter goods—awaiting your praiseworthy inspection. Such a gathering of novelties is not easily to be found this side of Philadelphia. Just stop and think what this means to you—the opportunity of selecting from such an extensive stock of superb goods at prices that will be a pleasant surprise. The notion and fancy goods counters are full of desirable and catchy attractions and should not be missed in your tour of the Brown establishment. Stop in the carpet department and see the matchless values in brussels, ingrain, art-squares, elegant mattings, etc. As Wilmington is bound to grow in population so is Brown's Dry Goods House bound to grow in popularity, for here you get honest goods, honorable treatment and honest prices.

"THE SIWASA."

Established for over fifteen years this food supply house is one of the most popularly patronized, and enjoys a high and enviable reputation at all times. Their prime stocks are new, fresh and desirably low-priced. Add to this a prompt and efficient delivery service and you have some of the reasons why house-keepers find it practical economy to deal here. "Sanders," is a leader in offering attractive and popular specials. These include the "Mystery" Flour, "Springfield" Hams, "Jones" Lard, the finest teas and coffees; cereals and fancy biscuits, new fruits and early vegetables, delicious condiments and table delicacies, canned and bottled goods, fine confectionery, prime smoked meats—all these and many more, in the best qualities and biggest quantities for the least money. S. W. Sanders is a highly regarded citizen of Wilmington.

A. M. WADDELL.

Strong character selects its pathway in the direction of honor and usefulness for which its talents are best adapted. This has always been demonstrated in the lives of men who have eminently succeeded to their own satisfaction and to the necessary advancement of the integral interests of society, and this has been demonstrated in the career of the Hon. A. M. Waddell, the able and efficient Mayor of progressive Wilmington. Mayor Waddell is a thoroughly representative type of the progressive American and was reared amidst refining influences that produced a character moulded along the broadest lines. Mayor Waddell was born in Hillsboro county, N. C. and received his early education in the Bingham school and Caldwell Institute, and after graduating at the University of North Carolina he studied law, which he has ever since followed. Mayor Waddell has always taken a great interest and an active part in the political affairs of the town, county and State. He has served eight years in Congress and has been Mayor three times which office he is filling with distinction and honor. He is popular and a gentleman of the highest order.

DELMONICO CAFE.

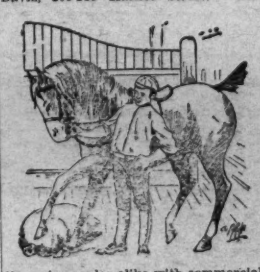
This excellent and highly favorite resort figures as one of Wilmington's latest and important additions. It is rapidly winning a well deserved merit among the public. This is mainly due to the liberal, prompt and unexcelled service, together with the congenial surroundings. The Delmonico undoubtedly is the handsomest and best equipped restaurant in the county. Here may be procured at all hours meals of every description, composed of the choicest eatables and luxuries the season affords. In fact here may be ordered anything that comes legitimately within the scope of a strictly high-class restaurant which are promptly and carefully prepared by experienced and competent chefs, and served in a dainty and most satisfactory style. A leading specialty is the regular dinner served from 12 to 2 o'clock at the Delmonico, which is located opposite the post office, has made a reputation which highly assures his future successful popularity.

C. D. MAFFITT.

A leading and reliable concern is C. D. Maffitt, located at 105-109 North Water Street. This firm was originated as C. D. Maffitt & Co., in 1896, and Mr. Maffitt became sole proprietor a year later. His stocks are the newest and most reliable and the prices are lowest consistent with quality. His large stocks consist of groceries and provisions, naval stores, paints, oils, ropes, canvas, blocks, sheaves, and marine hardware—in fact everything required for steam and sailing vessels. Owners of vessels and others are assured of reliable goods and courteous treatment as Mr. Maffitt gives the business his personal attention. He is a manufacturer and repairer of sails, tents, awnings, etc., none but the best of materials being used. He transacts both a wholesale and retail business. Mr. Maffitt, having followed the sea, he is well known in shipping circles. He has legions of friends among shipmasters and others. He is a notary public, agent for the coastwise fleet, U. S. Cutter service, also custom house broker and ship broker. All patrons receive the best of treatment.

SAMUEL J. DAVIS.

Wilmington is inded fortunate in being so amply provided with well-kept and up-to-date boarding and livery stables, for the numerous fine drives throughout this section have created a growing demand for stylish and up-to-date horses and rigs of every description and it is with pleasure that we refer our readers to the establishment so ably conducted by Samuel J. Davis, 208-210 Market Street. His



livery is popular alike with commercial men and pleasure seekers. Rigs for balls parties, receptions, etc., can be rented at all hours. In addition Mr. Davis buys and sells horses. Personally Samuel J. Davis is popular and highly estemed and interested in the prosperity of Wilmington.

WILMINGTON

Its Advantages, Its Indurtries, Its Splendid Resources---Facts Ralative to Its Health, Wealth and Prosperity.

Together With Statements, Show ing Its Substantial Growth and Its Present Importance as a Commercial, Financial, Social and Educational Center—Its Seaside Resorts and Other Attractions.

The City of Wilmington, the county seat of New Hanover county, is situated in one of the most beautiful sections of the State, the famed Lower Cape Fear, of which so much has been written in history, story and song. Wilmington is 500 miles south of Philadelphia and 590 miles south of New York city and in the centre of the most beautiful part of the Eastern shore. It presents a scene never to be forgotten. Wilmington is rich in history, but it is not the purpose of this article to be historical. The purpose is rather to present the Wilmington of to-day, the city that has grown from a scattered collection of primitive houses into one of the finest communities in the Tar Heel State. Its growth has been steady; there have been no booms, and Wilmington of to-day offers to those desiring to locate business establishments, advantages that cannot be surpassed by any municipality in the Union. Wilmington's population now exceeds 30,000. Few cities enjoy the many advantages vouchsafed to Wilmington. Aside from the extent of her water supply; aside from her fine streets and buildings, her public schools and splendid churches, the many clubs, fraternal and charitable organization and her staunch financial institutions; the city's manufacturing industries and commercial and trade enterprises are thrifty, of large average magnitude and of universally high grade of excellence. Wilmington is the headquarters of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad. The company's general offices, yards and shops are located here and employment is provided for more than a thousand people.

No better lands for raising truck crops throughout the year can be had in the country than lie close to Wilmington.

The industrial importance of Wilmington is not fully appreciated by the world at large. Its splendid transportation facilities, proximity to the markets, either by rail or water, raw material, water and fuel supply, climate and general healthfulness—all forceful and convincing facts—contribute to its advantageous location. Higher valuation in the larger cities will necessarily cause many manufacturers to seek new quarters. Strictly on merit and natural advantages, Wilmington should secure enough of them to double her present population in a few years. Every resident whose loyalty is of the orthodox kind, should become a soldier in the cause of proper and high-class public improvements. It will insure to the benefit of all. A wide-awake policy is the order of the present day. Our business men are meeting the conditions of the new era with vim and courage, and forge to the front with an intelligent grasp of modern methods.

The Chamber of Commerce has a large membership and any information regarding Wilmington will be cheerfully furnished. Mr. J. A. Taylor is president and Mr. James Kyle is the secretary.

In close proximity to Wilmington are Wrightsville Beach, The Sound and Carolina Beach, fine beautiful resorts.

This port is the fourth largest shipping centre for cotton. The mean high tide being 6 feet and low tide 4 feet and steamers have navigated the river with over 17,000 bales of cotton.

No city shows a better condition financially than the banks of Wilmington as follows:

ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK.
Resources $1,501,918.59. Capital and Surplus. $342,316.61.

MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK.
Resources $1,997,172.04. Capital and Surplus. $455,413.36.

WILMINGTON SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY.
Resources $1,511,163.11. Capital and Surplus. $125,873.77.

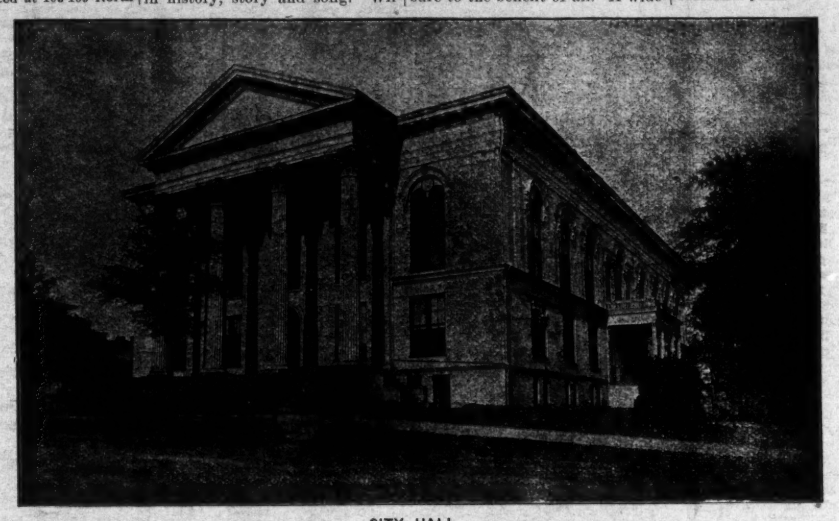
PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK.
Resources $848,221.83. Capital and Surplus. $62,040.00.

ATLANTIC TRUST & BANKING CO.
Resources $646,000.08. Capital and Surplus. $70,150.76.

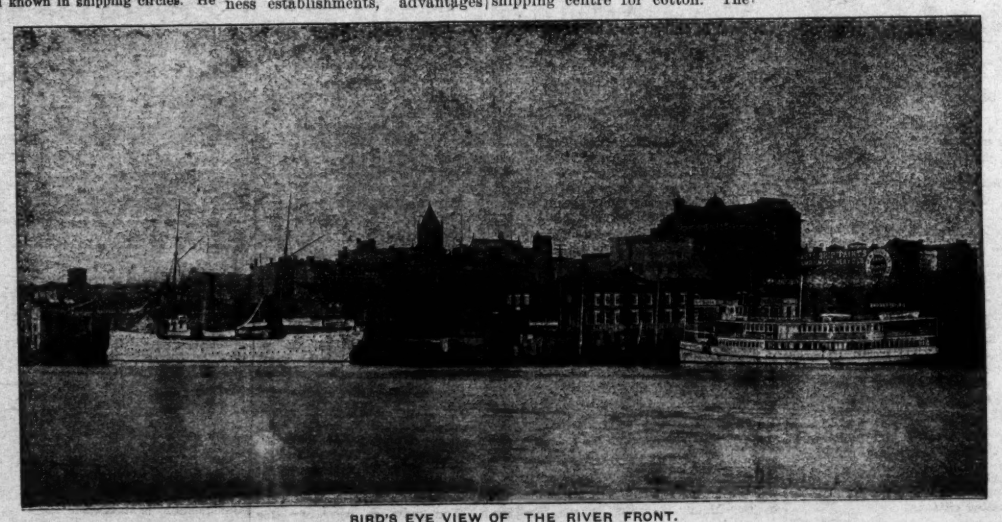
A Concluding Word.

It may seem to one who reads this inadequate sketch, that we have omitted a detailed description of her social conditions and her home life. The omission has been intentional. The hospitality of North Carolina firesides and the culture of North Carolina home permit of no description. The better class of North Carolinians express in their daily lives what the poet taught in song:—

"To make a happy fireside clime
For waens and wife,
Is the true pathos and sublime
Of human life."



CITY HALL.



BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF THE RIVER FRONT.

P. O. HALL.

No more inviting and attractive pharmacy may be found anywhere than at P. O. Hall, Fourth and Harnett streets. Although established only a few months ago it has already gained a reputation and the confidence of the people. The stock includes a full supply of druggist and physicians' supplies, toilet articles, fancy and medicated soaps, the leading proprietory remedies, perfumes, polite stationery, leading brands of cigars and tobacco. The compounding of prescriptions is given special attention and only the purest and freshest ingredients are used. P. O. Hall is prominent and popular in Masonic circles and interested in the upbuilding of this section of Wilmington.

G. M. MURRELL.

"Murrell's," the busiest as well as the most reliable grocery and provision house in Wilmington. No where will you find such a wide range of really dependable goods, which include such popular specials as Lipton's celebrated teas and coffees, flour, the most reliable cereals, fancy biscuit, delicious condiments and table delicacies, prominent dairy, creamery and farm products, etc. Fine fruits, nuts, canned and bottled goods, in a word everything comprehended under the head of staple and fancy groceries, and at prices that are as low as the lowest quoted anywhere. G. M. Murrell is a prominent Odd Fellow, and is located at the north-east corner of Fourth and Walnut Streets.

JOHN S. McEACHERN SONS.

A house dealing in flour, grain and kindred lines, and which has met with marked favor in trade circles is that of John S. McEachern Sons. This flourishing house was established over 25 years ago by John S. McEachern and to-day is conducted by N. M. and W. H. McEachern. The most popular grain, feed of every description, the finest grade of hay and best qualities of fertilizers. During the year the McEachern Sons dispose of nine-tenths of truck packages that are handled in Wilmington. The office and warerooms are located at 211 Market Street in a large one-story room 30 by 152 feet in dimensions, while their ware house will hold over fifteen cars of hay. Possessing facilities and connections of a first-class character, they are enabled to offer special advantages to their patrons not easily duplicated elsewhere.

WILLARD BAG AND MANUFACTURING CO.

One of the most enterprising concerns that have brought Wilmington to the front as a leading representative showing what pluck and energy will do is the Willard Bag and Manufacturing Co., incorporated in 1893. They are extensive manufacturers of bags and a specialty is made of fine overalls called "Old Star State," and do a large importation of "Burlaps." They have spared neither time nor expense in making their factory and the manufacture of their goods as perfect as science could make them. As a result their goods are of a superior quality. The factory occupies three floors, covering over 30,000 square feet of space and operated by nine electric motors of 30 horse power. The large plant requires the employment of from 150 or more employees and the goods have a wide world reputation. Wilmington is to be congratulated on having such an enterprise in her midst. H. S. Willard is president, W. J. Farror, superintendent; E. Payson Willard, secretary and general manager, and Frank M. Brown, manager Overall Department, are the officers of this successful plant.

LOOMIS C. OAKLEY.

The man who has money to invest as well as the man who is endeavoring to save, often finds it difficult to decide how to invest his capital or savings with safety to produce good results. What he wants is a secure asset, available at a given time, not a speculative investment through which a possible loss may arise. There are many classes of security, some of them good, but none better than a policy in a regular life insurance company. It is an asset available at all times for all it promises and which can be provided for in no other way. No life insurance corporation offers better inducements or safer investments than the old reliable State Mutual Assurance Company of Worcester, Mass., of which Loomis C. Oakley is special agent. This company has assets of over twenty-five millions of dollars. During its 61 years career it has handled over $50,000,000.00 of trust funds. Paid last year over $600,000.00 in dividends and possesses an ever increasing surplus. The company issues all desirable forms of policies which are clean and liberal.

SOL. BEAR AND CO.

Among the newer industries established in Wilmington is the wine house of Sol. Bear and Co. Formerly for half a century in the wholesale whiskey business which they have retired from and since July 1st, 1904, have gone extensively in the manufacture of pure wines. Their specialties are the White and Red Scuppernong, Blackberry, Strawberry wines, etc., which they aim to make as pure an article that cannot be excelled in any part of the country, also Port, Sherry, Catawba, Tokay, Claret and Champagne. The house aims to sell only the best that is produced. Their large plant occupies four floors covering over 60,000 square feet of space, and the capacity is 125,000 gallons of wine per annum. Latest improved methods are used in the production of their wines which is operated by a 10 H. P. electric motor. Just at present they are increasing the capacity and their new tanks hold 2,500 gallons each. Employment is given to 15 to 25 hands, and products are shipped all over the country. Mr. Irving Bear has just returned after a three years study of the making of wines throughout Europe.

D. ROUNTREE.

Numerous factors enter into the progressive and steady growth and fine appearance of an important community such as is Wilmington, but none to a greater extent than those who construct. In these columns we wish to make editorial mention of Mr. D. Rountree, who is an expert in his profession. He makes a specialty of all classes of building work. He is an expert in his profession. He has lately finished two fine residences for D. F. Dippe and is finishing one for Mrs. I. Hankins, Fifth and Campbell streets, and numerous others. Also a handsome residence for himself between Second and Third on Church street. An expert himself he employs none but skilled labor and invests his work with all the elements of architectural beauty. He has every facility for to construct of any magnitude and guarantees to give the utmost satisfaction.

CITY LIVERY CO.

A magnificent spirit of enterprise shown by Wilmington is exhibited in the fine up-to-date livery and exchange stable, conducted by the City Livery Company. The modern stables consisting of 156 stalls and occupying a space of 66x320 feet in dimensions are completely equipped, provided with every facility and are well drained and ventilated. A specialty is made of the commercial man's trade the finest rigs being obtained at all hours, also carriages for balls, parties, weddings, etc. They also transfer baggage on short notice. A specialty is made of harness and buggies a few lines on hand—also first-class repairing of same. They are exclusive agents for the Columbus buggy. W. D. MacMillan, Jr., is president and treasurer of this company.

D. M'EACHERN CO.

Prominent among the wholesale houses of Wilmington that find a profitable field, the D. McEachern Co are deserving of special mention. The company are extensive dealers in naval stores, and are doing both a domestic and foreign business. That nothing succeeds like sucess has been well illustrated in the case of D. McEachern Co. From the date of the beginning of the business they have experienced a steady growth. The building for the storage of spirits of turpentine covers 7,500 square feet of space, while the yard for storage covers over 25,000 barrels of rosin, over 90,000 square feet of space being utilized. The company has been in existence since 1902, but the business was originally started in 1893 by Mr. D. McEachern. J. S. McEachern is the manager of this enterprising concern. It goes without saying that both gentlemen are wide awake, progressive citizens and interested in the up-building of this hustling city.

I. M. BEAR & CO.

Prominent among Wilmington's leading mercantile establishments is that of I. M. Bear & Co., 221-227 North Front street. The firm has been established since 1894 and they have built up a business which reflects the greatest credit in their ability and progressiveness. They occupy four floors covering nearly 50,000 square feet ofspace while their factory is 33x100 feet in dimensions. They are extensive dealers and jobbers of all kinds of dry goods both imported and domestic. They are the manufacturers of the fine "Imperial" shirts and overalls. Their factory has every facility for manufacturing purposes and employment is given to 40 or more hands. Their trade extends throughout North and South Carolina and Georgia. I. M. Bear and H. C. Bear are the firm members, the former is a Director in the Atlantic Savings & Trust Co., and both are well known and interested in Wilmington's prosperity.

WILMINGTON GROCERY CO.

Well informed housewives will tell you it is the most practical economy to do your trading at the Wilmington Grocery Co. 125-127 Market street. Their prices are hard to duplicate when first you consider the excellent qualities and the generous quantities that are offered. To be brief the Wilmington Grocery and Provision House is one of the most complete food supply concerns in this section. They deal extensively in the popular "Royal" flour, fragrant coffees, fresh crop teas, canned and bottled goods, delicious condiments and table delicacies, fresh grown vegetables, eggs, butter, etc. A specialty is made of North Carolina country cured hams. A prompt delivery service is maintained. The officers of this successful concern are A. M. Hall, Prest.; J. L. Boatwright, General Manager, and W. D. Hall, Sec. and Treas.

WILMINGTON STEAM LAUNDRY.

This enterprising concern was established in 1895 and has constantly grown in public favor, and the quality of its work cannot be excelled anywhere. Only the latest and most improved methods and appliances are used and no injurious chemicals or processes are ever employed. Ladies linen are given the same care that is given men's, and the most delicate fabrics are treated without injury. A specialty is made of shirts and collars and work if necessary will be finished and delivered in one day. All hotels have the "Wilmington" do their laundry. People in all parts of North and South Carolina and Georgia send their laundry to Wilmington Steam Laundry. Employment is given to 50 or more skilled hands and the works occupy two floors, 40x110 feet in dimensions. Domestic finish looks better and last longer, but gloss finish is done if desired. Mr. J. T. Harper the proprietor, is to be congratulated on having built up so gratifying a business.

CHAS M. STIEFF.

Any one visiting the warerooms of the above named firm at the corner of Front and Grace Streets will be surprised at the number of pianos and organs represented. Mr. W. Scott Decker, the popular manager has had several years experience in handling none but the best of makes. He can quote you prices that will please you. He is prepared to sell you a piano or organ on the most liberal terms of payment. The "Stieff's" pianos and

W. SCOTT DECKER.

organs are considered the most artistic in the world. Here also can be had the leading songs and sheets of music. The sales for the past six months have more than doubled, thus showing the merits of this popular music house. You will find Mr. Decker is a worthy exponent of the American music trade and has brought to bear in his transactions those traits of character and ability that win respect and confidence in all dealings.

MARCUS E. STROUSS.

The Star is indebted to Mr. Marcus E. Strouss to whose energy the success of the supplement was assured.

H. E. BONITZ, B. E.

The importance of the building trade cannot be underestimated, as a great amount of capital is invested by capitalists and others, and the work of construction is entrusted to men of practical skill in their profession. In this city an active and progressive, reliable concern is H. E. Bonitz, architect. His work is to be found in many of the buildings and fine dwellings in and about Wilmington. His services as an architect are much in demand. Mr. Bonitz furnishes plans and specifications on most modern and approved lines. He superintends all work entrusted to his care. Many of the fine dwellings hereabout stand as silent witnesses to the skill of H. E. Bonitz as an architect and superintendent of building, and guarantees to give the utmost satisfaction in every instance.

THE RULE OF THREE.

Three things to wish for—health, friends and a cheerful spirit.

Three things to delight in—frankness, freedom, and beauty.

Three things to admire—power, gracefulness, and dignity.

Three things to avoid—idleness, loquacity, and flippant jesting.

Three things to govern—temper, tongue, and conduct.

Three things to hate—cruelty, arrogance, and affectation.

Three things to think about—life, death, and eternity.

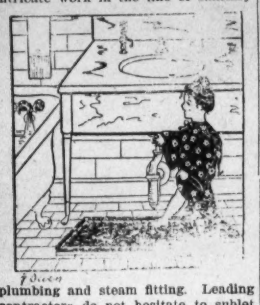
Three things to love—purity, truthfulness, and honor.

Three things to be—brave, gentle, kind.

—"According to the French proverb," said the bride of a week, "what is sown in love becomes a flower in paradise." "Very well, my dear," rejoined the newly-made hubby. "Just sew this suspender button on for me and we'll proceed to give our garden a boost."—Chicago News.

GRIFFITH BROS.

As a sanitary measure for promoting health, the plumbing trade undoubtedly stands in the front rank of modern improvements. In this connection the Star refers to a leading and reliable concern—Griffith Bros.—who have been doing scientific plumbing and steam fitting work of the highest standard of perfection. Griffith Bros. are qualified to execute the most intricate work in the line of sanitary



plumbing and steam fitting. Leading contractors do not hesitate to sublet contracts to Griffith Bros., and leading property owners feel secure and award contracts to this enterprising firm. Their work gives the utmost satisfaction and the prices charged are very moderate. They personally supervise all work entrusted to them. They are energetic and progressive, and conduct their business on honorness methods.

LUPO & SIMMONS.

Wilmington, like all growing and hustling cities, presents a fitting field for the exercise and development of the highest order of construction ability in the erection of fine buildings and residences. For 15 years or more Lupo and Simmons has been a leader in this particular branch of the business. During the past year they have directed the erection of buildings and residences and at present they have under construction several. They guarantee to carry out contracts in a most satisfactory manner on short notice and employment is given to 10 or more skilled hands. Lupo and Simmons office is at 610 North Fifth street. Mr. Lupo is popular in I. O. O. F. and Red Men circles and both are interested in the welfare of Wilmington.

SUCCESS AND PROGRESS.

A striking example of what truth and honesty brings forth to see the rapid upward growth, which has been achieved and accomplished in its high degree by Mr. J. T. Burke, the leading jewefer of our city, it can readily be seen that nothing short other than push and energy and honorable business methods would bring forth the success and rapid growth that Mr. Burke the jeweler has accomplished. He commenced business here about 12 years ago, since that time has strived to deal out satisfaction to each and every customer of which he has come in contact with as he has always stood for principal instead of the dollars, he has accomplished building up one of the largest trades especially, in fine repairing of any concern in the country, at all times making a specialty of turning out very fine repair work of anything to be done in the repair line, and at all times carrying a nice line of every fine quality of diamonds and a very nice and large assortment of watches of all grades, and an up-to-date line of the latest designs in jewelry, cut glass, silver ware and silver novelties.

SAMUEL BEAR, SR., & SONS.

In any community populous with industrial and commercial life there are no more important business enterprises than those of the wholesale grocer. In Wilmington the well known firm of Samuel Bear, Sr., and Sons occupies a front rank. The trade influence of this enterprising house reaches over a vast territory. The courtesy of treatment and cordiality of welcome makes this whole establishment one of the most successful in North Carolina. They carry a full line of the popular brands of supplies and are special agents for some of the best known. The headquarters of this concern are at 18 and 20 Market Street, comprising 6 floors 30 by 70 feet each, and 3 warehouses covering over 8,000 square feet of space. They are are also extensive dealers in hides and wool.

BROOKS & TAYLOR.

Progressive Wilmington possesses advantages, both natural and acquired, that are enjoyed by but few other municipalities on the Eastern shore. One of the city's most enterprising concerns is the firm of Brooks and Taylor in business 6 years. They are extensive wholesale dealers in all kinds of groceries, specialties being Ballards' Obelisk Flour, salt mullets and everything in the grocery line. Their facilities are unequaled and the space occupied covers two floors 35x100 feet each. They are situated on the river front and have their own wharf, and on the dummy line so as to load and unload in short order—lucrative employment is given to 9 or more hands. They enjoy the most intimate and favorable connections with leading manufacturers and are enabled to offer the most liberal inducements to buyers. J. W. Brooks and Ed. Taylor are to be confratulated on the success that they have attained.

SOUTHERN DISTILLING CO.

The aoove named company have opened a branch store at 311 North Front street as a family liquor store. They have the only strictly family liquor store in the State of North Carolina and you can order from them in any quantity, at wholesale prices. No charges made for jugs or packing. Following are some of the leading brands they handle and guaranteed to be absolutely pure: Chesterfield. Harvest Home, Old St. Reges, Monticello. Keystone, Special Old Side Board, and many other Rye whiskies, leading makes of brandies, gins, rum, all kinds of wines, the celebrated Budweiser beer, etc. The Southern Distilling Co. is a branch, the home office being at Cincinnati, Ohio. The best of quality and lowest in price you will find at 311 North Front street near the A. C. L. Depot.

CHAS. M. WHITLOCK.

One of the busiest and most useful of the many industries of Wilmington is the shop and store of Chas. M. Whitlock. This business was inaugurated about 15 years ago. The shops and the equipment are very complete, including lathes, planers and other appliances usually found in modern machine shops. Machinery of all descriptions are repaired here quickly and in a skilled manner. Specialties are wood working machinery, mill supplies, etc. The pipe machinery is especially up-to-date for sizes up to 6 inches in diameter, being of the quick opening type. In addition Mr. Whitlock handles as a side line the leading makes of typewriters, the Oliver, Remington and others are sold, rented or repaired. Lucrative employment is given to from 8 to 30 skilled hands. Chas. M. Whitlock is progressive as evidence the fact that his was the first North Carolina shop to adopt electricity as a motive power, wide awake, honorable in his dealings and always interested in the growth of Wilmington.

J. A. TAYLOR.

The most gratifying fact in Wilmington's industrial history is the number of firms that in recent years have found this a profitable field, and afford an encouraging evidence that we have by no means reached our limit as an industrial and commercial center. Among the firms which illustrate Wilmington's advantages is the wholesale grocery house of J. A. Taylor. Mr. Taylor established the business in 1899 and from the very day of establishment has conducted its affairs with such energy and judgment as to have made it one of the largest of its kind in this section. The stocks carried are heavy and light fancy groceries and the floor space occupied over 30,000 square feet. Mr. Taylor has always taken a keen interest in the welfare of Wilmington, is president of the Chamber of Commerce and director in séveral other institutions.

WILMINGTON IRON WORKS.

A most important industry located in Wilmington is the Wilmington Iron Works. This is one of the oldest concerns in New Hanover county, and for nearly 50 years they have been regarded as a leader in their line. Their immense shops consisting of foundry, machine, forge, copper and boiler shops covering more than 100,000 square feet, have every appliances for turning out work quickly and in first class manner. This immense plant is operated by a 60 H. P. steam engine and gives lucrative employment to 65 skilled hands. None but the best workmanship and material is used. Their products are shipped all over the country and they manufacture cast iron, columns of all kinds, house work, copper, marine and stationery engines. A specialty is made of all kinds fine repair work, etc. E. P. Bailey is president and W. C. VanGlahn is secretary and treasurer, and they are interested in the welfare of Wilmington.

W. M. CUMMING.

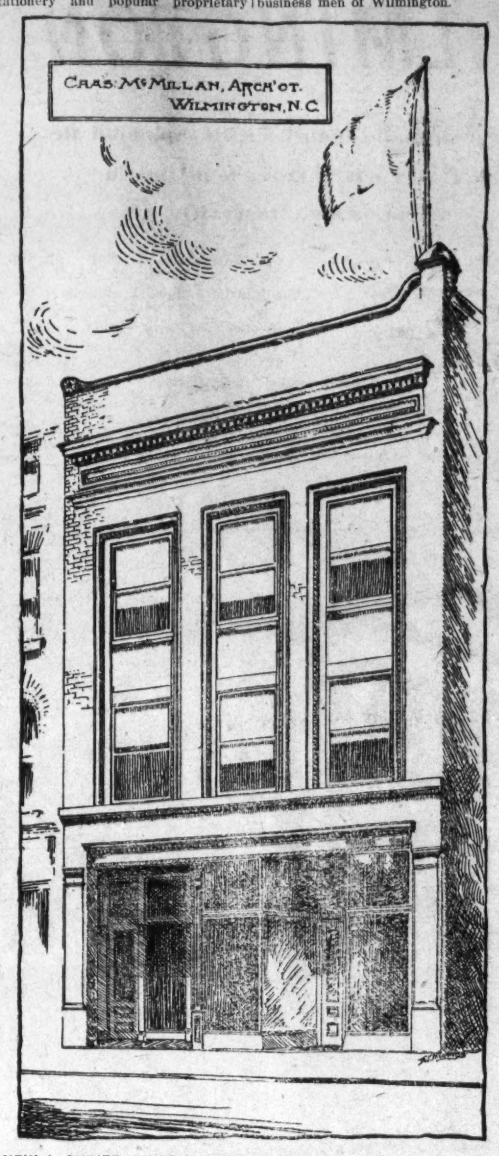
W. M. Cumming opened his real estate office in November, 1891, and has ever since met with the success that he merits. He has a wide practical experience and intimate knowledge of the real estate business, and his assured responsibility renders him popular throughout the field of real estate. His thorough knowledge of the real estate business, its principles and workings, have rendered him an authority on the subject. He is without doubt considered among the best informed real estate men on the Eastern Shore. He makes a specialty of buying, selling, and renting of all kinds of property. Property or farms can be bought in any size and on the most reasonable terms. W. M. Cumming is secretary and treasurer of the Mechanics Home Association and of the Brunswick Bridge & Ferry Co. and Haytian Vice Consul at this port.

D. A. BULLOCK.

One of the leading and most reliable drug establishments in New Hanover county is the house established about a year ago by D. A. Bullock, at 313 North Front street, Wilmington. He is an extensive dealer in pure drugs and chemicals, druggists and physicians' supplies, toilet articles, fine perfumery, all the leading proprietary remedies, etc. Bullock's prescription laboratory is the best equipped in this section, and the house enjoys the utmost confidence of physicians and others who require carefully and accurately compounded prescriptions. A specialty is made of White Pine and Tar Expectorant for coughs and colds and Pyxis croup remedy—a line of fancy and medicated soaps, cigars and tobacco, and a handsome fountain dispenses pure soda syrups to the thirsty. D. A. Bullock is a wide-awake, progressive citizen and an esteemed member of the Elks.

BERNICE C. MOORE.

The name of "Moore" for many years has been synonymous with all that is pure, fresh and dependable in drugs and chemicals. It is the most complete pharmacy in Wilmington which is located at 715 North Fourth street. The store is replete with large stocks of druggists' and physicians' supplies, a splendid line of toilet articles, perfumes, toilet waters, fancy and medicated soaps, fine line of polite stationery and popular proprietary remedies—in fact everything one would expect to find in a first-class drug house. A fine soda fountain dispenses to the thirsty, also leading brands of cigars and tobacco. A specialty is made of "Moore's" cold tablets cough cure and celebrated Eccema ointment. Moore's is also the sub post-office in this section of the city. The careful and accurate compounding of prescriptions is also a leading specialty. Bernice C. Moore is noted among the most progressive business men of Wilmington.



NEW I. SHRIER BUILDING, NORTH FRONT STREET—HOME OF THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

Carolina Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, has leased for a term of years the second and third floors of the handsome new I. Shrier building, on North Front street, and is fitting up handsome club rooms which will be among the most costly and prettiest in the State. Carolina Aerie was installed only about a month ago, but it has forged rapidly to the front in the ranks of the fraternal and social orders of the city and its new quarters in the Shrier building will go a long way towards promoting those social features which have made the order a power throughout the country. The local aerie is composed of young men of prominence in nearly every walk of life and has all the vigor and enthusiasm of the youth with which it is imbued. Carolina Aerie has a bright future before it and ere long its membership will outstrip anything in the State both in number and personnel.

"LUMINA."

The most popular and finest resort in North Carolina is at Lumina, at Wrightsville Beach a short distance from Wilmington, reached by the Consolidated Railway, Light and Power Company. A pleasant time can be passed by spending a day or night at popular Lumina. Fine music and dancing can be enjoyed afternoon or evening. Keep Cool by going to Lumina.

W. MUNROE & CO.

It is conceded that "Munroe's" is the largest and one of the completest furniture and house furnishing houses in Wilmington. For over 17 years it has been liberally managed and has come to be regarded as the foremost furniture concern in the city. Few concerns keep their stocks up to a full standard as do Munroe's. Here one fins an immense variety of bed room, dining room, parlor and library sets; all the latest styles in chairs, couches, tables and all grades of carpets and mattings. Everything that comes under the head of furniture is found here. C. S. Boylon is the manager of this popular house who will treat you right and at prices that will please you.

LEVI McMILLAN & CO.

The desire to excel is responsible for more of this world's progress than any other promping motive. Desire to excel also influences the doings of Levi McMillan & Co. located at 523 North Fourth street. They are extensive dealers in the finest and best makers of boots, shoes and findings. A specialty is made of Dorsh's and King Quality's shoes for men and the popular La France shoe for ladies. For fit, style and quality "McMillan's" are leaders. The store is stocked with the latest Fall and Winter styles and shapes. In addition Levi McMillan & Co. are extensive jobbers in hosiery, paper bags, wrapping paper, etc. All goods leaving this place are perfect and low priced. Mr. McMillan is wide awake and interested in the growth of Wilmington.

WILL. REHDER.

For over a year Will. Rehder has conducted his nursery at 817 Red Cross Street. By careful attention to his business he has maintained a high standard in the raising of fine flowers, such as ferns, buds of all kinds, bedding and different varieties of carnations. He constantly keeps on hand roses of various kinds, violets, etc. He contracts to trim and decorate houses, churches, clubs, etc. His hothouses are amply provided and will accommodate all that is necessary for the cultivation of same. He has seven hot-houses, having over 12,000 square feet of glass. He furnishes flowers for weddings, bouquets, churches and funerals. The people of Wilmington are to be congratulated for having in their midst such an industry. Mr. Will Rehder is popular in the order of Elks and the Knights of Pythias, and success has crowned his efforts.

W. P. WOODCOCK.

Mr. W. P. Woodcock has had an experience of 10 years in the grocery trade and now located at 1108 North Fourth street. His stock of groceries includes all staple and fancy goods, specialty being popular brands of flour, fragrant coffees, fresh teas, canned and bottle goods, fruits, candies, cigars and tobacco. In addition he carries a line of fancy notions and a full line of country produce—salt and smoked meats, these and other goods all to be had at prices that will please you. His long and satisfactory service in the past is the best guarantee that he will continue to deserve public patronage. Mr. Woodcock is popular in I. O. O. F. circles and highly respected citizen.

CROW & TAYLOR.

The firm of Crow & Taylor, 14 Market Street is regarded as one of the leading food supply houses in Wilmington. Crow & Taylor have made a close study of the needs of the people and carry a variety of choice groceries and provisions that cannot fail to suit the most particular housewife. Their stocks are always fresh, pure and wholesome and fairly priced. They are headquarters for the popular Gilt Edge flour, pure butter and sweet country butter, Broadway Blend and Blue Ribbon Coffees, pure teas, canned and bottled goods, condiments and table delicacies, cigars and fresh country produce. We assert without contradiction that Crow & Taylor's goods cannot be excelled or their prices bettered.

WILMINGTON GRANITE AND MARBLE WORKS.

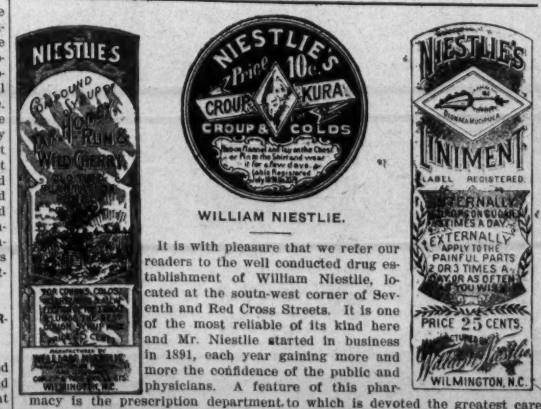
A leading concern that has caused Wilmington to be so well known and that is recognized as an important factor in its growth is the firm of H. A. Tucker & Bro. It has grown to be one of the most successful in New Hanover county. They devote their energies to the production of stone, granite and marble work for cemeteries, buildings, etc. The artistic designs are executed by hand and employment is given to 25 or more skilled hands. They have built a large mausoleum for Col. K. M. Murchison, a monument for Gilford F. Horne, Col. Roger Moore, Messrs. Rifs, Rehder, Noble and others. Their trade extends throughout North and South Carolina and beyond. R. D. Tucker the proprietor has a practical experience with a thorough knowledge of the trade and is interested in the growth of this hustling community.

THE CO-OPERATIVE GROCERY CO.

A new food supply house that is fast acquiring an enviable reputation for honest goods, low prices and reliable dealings, is the Co-Operative Grocery Co. located at 131 Market street. They buy for cash and for this very reason they offer matchless goods at lowest market rates. You will find it the most practical sort of economy to deal here. The management takes just pride in the fact that it carries only the finest qualities of food supplies while charging prices that are hard to duplicate elsewhere. The stocks include everything you would expect to find in a strictly up-to-date grocery house, including such specials as "Lipton's" teas, "Leggett's Special" and "White House" Mocha and Java coffees. A specialty is made of fancy groceries, in fact "everything." The whole formnig a food exhibit seldom found in cities of this size. The success of this company is largely due to the untiring energy of S. S. Drew the manager and treasurer, of which C. T. Harper is president and H. Burkhimer, secretary. There are at present 103 stockholders. They are issuing another allotment of stock which is being rapidly taken.

J. W. MURCHISON & CO.

Our hundreds of readers in the city and country districts will be particularly interested in this review of J. W. Murchison & Co's establishment. It is one of the busiest and most reliable hardware concerns in Wilmington. Farmers and others will tell you that it is practical economy to buy supplies of "Murchison's." They keep the largest stock, have the greatest varities, offer the best qualities and quote the lowest prices. At their big establishment at 109-111 north Front Street, you will find an extensive stock of heavy and shelf hardware of every description; finest cutlery, most reliable paints and oils, dependable house-furnishings of all kinds, farmers' carpenters' and mechanics tools, iron and wire for all purposes, nails and builders' supplies, etc. They deal extensively in agricultural implements, scales, Loflin and Rand Powder. A leading specialty is made of the Peninsular stoves and ranges, for which they are sole agents. It will be a positive saving for you to deal with them. You know, as every one else knows, that this is one of the most reliable houses in the country with which to deal.



WILLIAM NIESTLIE.

It is with pleasure that we refer our readers to the well conducted drug establishment of William Niestlie, located at the south-west corner of Seventh and Red Cross Streets. It is one of the most reliable of its kind here and Mr. Niestlie started in business in 1891, each year gaining more and more the confidence of the public and physicians. A feature of this pharmacy is the prescription department to which is devoted the greatest care and attention. A leader is made of Niestlie's Croup Kura, Compound Syrup of Tar, Honey, Rum and Wild Cherry. Niestlie's Liniment does the work and his headache tablets are world-beaters. All his remedies are guaranteed just as represented. His store is replete with pure and fresh drugs, finest toilet articles and preparations. He is building a warehouse and small factory next to his store on Seventh Street. He is prominent in fraternal orders, is public spirited and interested in any movement tending to improve the material welfare of this hustling community.

PALACE MARKET.

This popular provision house opened for business at the corner of Market and Second Streets about a year and a half ago, and is one of the establishments that compete successfully with any other house in this section. None but the best of meats are to had at the "Palace," and in season the finest poultry and game, for a choice cut of prime beef, lamb, veal, mutton or pork you cannot do better than at the Palace Market. Mr. J. H. Hettleman, the proprietor aims to give you the best that market produces and at prices that are right. All orders are promptly delivered. Mr. J. H. Hettleman is highly esteemed and prominent in Royal Arcanum circles.

CAPE FEAR TRADING CO.

For a period of one year a leading headquarters for fine groceries and provisions has been at the Cape Fear Trading Company's establishment, 603 North Fourth street. Their trade has shown a steady increase. One reason for the popularity of this place is from the fact that no inferior goods are handled. The firm's motto is, "There is none to good for our patrons." Furthermore they quote prices for high grade goods, lower than are often times charged at similar places. A specialty being made of Acme flour, North Carolina hams, White House coffee and a special "High Grade M. & J. Coffee," fresh crop teas, fancy biscuits, early vegetables, butter, eggs and prime provisions, cigars, tobacco, canned and bottled goods. They act as commission merchants for which consignments are solicited and prompt returns are guaranteed. W. R. Newbury is president, W. H. Borden, vice president and J. B. Taylor, secretary and treasurer, who are ever alert to provide for the needs of their large and influential patronage.

W. T. MERCER & CO.

This enterprising concern commenced business in 1897, and is a leading concern of Wilmington. It is the headquarters for all shrewd and critical buyers. Their stocks are the newest the largest and the most desirable. At the same time they quote you prices that please you, when first you consider the qualities. Nowhere will you find such a dependable line of furniture and house furnishings of every kind—all that is new, and at prices that defy legitimate competition. The exhibit of house furnishings of every description now displayed here cannot fail to suit the most critical. In fact, W. T. Mercer & Co.'s big emporium is replete with the very latest and richest effects in everything comprehended in their line, while the prices quoted are maintained at the lowest figures compatible with excellent goods and upright dealings. They have a branch store at Ashpole, N. C. W. T. Mercer, E. S. Hancock and F. W. Davis are the firm members and are interested in the growth of Wilmington.

CAPE FEAR MACHINE WORKS.

Among Wilmington's largest and most important manufacturing enterprises is that of the Cape Fear Machine Works (Incorporated). The plant is connected by a spur with the railroad and the water front affords excellent receiving and shipping facilities. The entire plant shaped in an L, is 245x60x240 feet in dimensions. The shops are equipped with the best machinery obtainable and new methods and appliances are adopted wherever proven to be of value. Lucrative employment is given to 35 or more skilled hands. They are machinists, founders, boilermakers, blacksmiths and steam heating engineers. They make a specialty of repair work for which they guarantee satisfaction. Incorporated two years ago—C. W. Worth is president and R. S. Collins, secretary and treasurer. Large as their trade is it is still increasing at a gratifying rate, and this mere statement is the best comment we can make on the ability with which the business is managed.

N. JACOBI HARDWARE CO.

In a characterization of Wilmington's representative enterprises and leading citizens the subject of this sketch deserves prominent and favorable mention. N. Jacobi Hardware Co. are one of the leading dealers here in the branch of trade to which their energies are devoted. Their large store occupies two floors 50x180 feet and three immense warehouses covering more than 25,000 square feet. Their immense stock consist of everything in shelf and heavy hardware, stoves, tinware, pumps, doors, sash, blinds, glass, paints and everything in the hardware and builders line. The firm was established in 1856 and the firm members are Nath'l Jacobi, Marcus W. Jacobi and Joseph N. Jacobi who are interested in the progress and development of Wilmington.

S. F. CRAIG.

Without exception one of the most popular grocery stores in Wilmington is "Craig's" at 605 North Fourth street. It is liberally patronized by a good class of customers and the goods to be had here are the best and most reliable quality. The assortment is always kept up to a full standard by the arrival of fresh invoices, specialties being Lipton's and White House coffees, fresh crop teas, flour, canned and bottled goods, condiments and table delicacies. Specialty fancy banquet butter and cheese. Popular brands cigars, tobacco, vegetables, smoked meats, crockery, lamps, chickens, etc.; all at prices that will please you. An efficient delivery system is maintained to all parts of the city. Mr. S. F. Craig is interested in Masonic and Odd Fellows circles and interested in the growth of this hustling community.

F. T. MILLS.

Mr. F. T. Mills the proprietor of the sale and exchange stables, at 114 North Second street is too well known in Wilmington to require extended comment at our hands. He has been in the business for the past 10 years and has the reputation of being one of the most successful men in his line in this section. He has commodious and well-arranged stables, buys the best obtainable stock. His stock includes all grades of horses and mules and buyers may rely on his unfailing judgment and integrity. In addition he is sole agent for the Babcock buggies, none better made. His stables occupy a space 40x100 feet in dimensions and are well drained and ventilated. Mr. Mills is interested in Masonic circles and the growth of Wilmington.

WILMINGTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.

An institution that has been a credit to Wilmington, and one that is bringing this city to the world at large, is the Wilmington Business College, located at 27-29 Front Street. The young man or lady who thinks of entering a business career, should, before doing so, adapt themselves by taking a course of a thorough business knowledge in the Wilmington Business College. All graduates are furnished with positions. The college is open both day and night and you can commence any time you choose, the sooner the better. Studies include shorthand, bookkeeping or penmanship, telegraphy, arithmetic, commercial law spelling and correspondence. Although the college has been opened only since 1904 their success has been more than realized. By calling on A. F. Land, the president, full information will be given regarding the methods of the college. Do not put off until to-morrow what can be done today.

ROBERT C. DeROSSET.

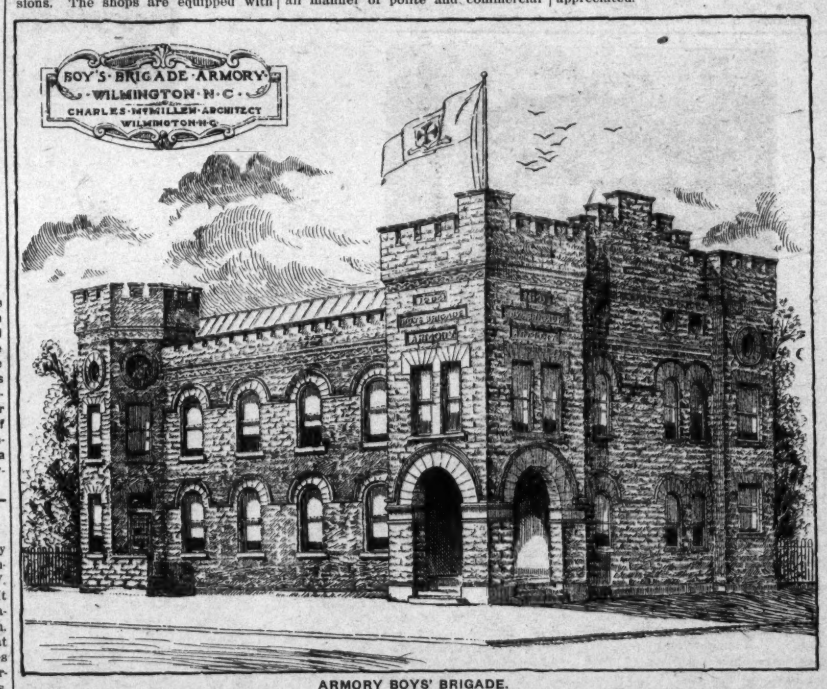
This popular and attractive establishment dates its inception to the year 1898, and annually hos inhanced the beauty and variety of its stock, as well as the volume of its trade, until now it is regarded as a leader in its line in New Hanover county. The premises are handsomely arranged while throughout there prevails a system of order and regularity which facilitates the transaction of business and makes the house a pleasant one in which to establish business relations. Here is displayed an immense assortment of the finest fancy goods and sporting goods. A large assortment of all manner of polite and commercial stationery—a fine display of office supplies, Yawman & Erbe filing cabinets and card index system, Waterman fountain pens, all the leading magazines and periodicals are to be found at 32 North Front street. Robert C. DeRosset has at all times given the most careful attention to the selection of all fricles comprising his superb stocks, both as regards quality and price, as to fully satisfy the wants of all classes of the community.

STERNBERGER BROS.

A house that has stood the test of time and has been a leader in its particular line is the one conducted by Sternberger Bros., at 213 215 N. Front Although burned out several years ago without a dollar of insurance, they are the leaders in their line to-day. Their leaders:—Bokers Rye, Silver Springs not quantity. Their stock of goods consisting of popular brands of flour, sole agents for Chase & Sanborn coffees, fresh teas, table delicacies, condiments etc.—all to be had at prices that will please you. They make a specialty of country produce, of which they are extensive dealers. In addition they carry a full line of pure liquors, of the which the following are leaders:—Baker's Rye, Silver Spring, Corn Whiskey, popular brands wines. Sole agents for Wilson Whiskey and Congress Hall Rye. Cigars, Tobacco, etc. Sol and Julius Sternberger are progressive, wide-awake, public spirited citizens.

THE ONLY RESTAURANT.

When Mrs. G. Ulmer opened "The Only Restaurant" at 108 Market street she conferred a distinct favor upon the public. That she has fully met all expectations may be seen when one inspects the restaurant and notes the care and taste with which it has been furnished. She has sixteen tables and makes it a point to provide none but the best obtainable edibles. Every dish is nicely prepared and properly served, and the most exacting could not ask for better service. Especial attention is given to ladies, and every provision has been made for their comfort and convenience. A specialty is made of short orders. In addition to the restaurant a number of comfortable and handsomely furnished sleeping rooms have been fitted up. Out of town visitors will add materially to the pleasure of their stay by stopping at the Only Restaurant and Hotel as there is no other place in the city at which the same service can be secured. The proprietoress herself is invariably genial and considerate, and makes everyone feel that their patronage is appreciated.



ARMORY BOYS' BRIGADE.

DARLEY PARK BREWERY.

Of the leading bottling works doing business in Wilmington none are better equipped than the bottling works of the Gottlieb-Bauernschmidt-Straus Brewing Co. The bottling establishment located at 319 North Nutt street is the largest and best equipped in the State. Every modern appliance and apparatus is used in the bottling of the pure beer, and the business done is an exceedingly large one. The greatest precaution and care are taken to insure cleanliness and prompt delivery. The patronage of this enterprising house embraces dealers in North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. Three wagons afford an excellent and efficient delivery service, and under the management of John M. Wright who is the oldest bottler in town. Following are the breweries represented: Bay View, National, Helldorfer, Baltimore, Germania, Eigenbrot, Geo. Bauernschmidt, J. E. Weissner & Bro., Darley Park, Geo. Gunther, Vanderhorst, J. M. Berger, Oriental, Mount, Globe, Lion, Durkeheart Ale, and Porter Brewery.

THE RHEINSTEIN DRY GOODS CO.

This is one of the oldest and leading wholesale houses of Wilmington, originally started in 1865, and the present company was incorporated in 1895. The store and warerooms are a model one in every particular, thoroughly adopted for the large stock kept on hand. The store occupies four floors covering over 50,000 square feet of space. The large amount of business requires the employment of twenty or more employees. They do an extensive trade throughout North and South Carolina, and deal exclusively in all the latest styles of dry goods. It is gratifying to note that their business has steadily increased. The members of the firm are interested in the welfare and growth of this hustling community.

NORTH CAROLINA'S BIG SHOE STORE.—"SOLOMON'S."

'Tis remarkable how such a large shoe business could be built up in such a short time, but it's only in keeping with Wilmington's rapid growth. Messrs. S. & B. Solomon opened their Shoe Department about five years ago in the building now occupied by the "Only" Restaurant, but the business grew so rapidly that they were compelled to seek larger quarters, consequently they built the large store they occupy at 9 and 11 South Front Street.

This firm not only does the largest retail shoe business in the State, but is reaching out and is now quite a factor in the wholesale trade. Coming in direct contact with the consumer through their retail department, the consumers wants are carefuly studied, and the kind of shoes needed for this section of the country are carried in stock. This is a great advantage to the country merchant, who can buy exactly what is needed in this section instead of sending way off, where shoes intended for some other part of the country are sold.

This firm also does the largest mail-order business in the State. There isn't a day but dozens of packages are sent to points all over this and neighboring states.

In selecting their shoes they have taken the pick of the best factories in the country, and have the agency for Hanan's, Hu-man-ic, Barry & Snow Shoes for men,; Dorothy Dodd, Imperial, Grover's, Hu-man-ic and Queen Cotton, for Women; Little Giants, Godman & Paff's Shoes, for Children.

This firm say that their sucess has been through carrying up-to-date styles in widths from A to E, and doing a large volume of business at a small profit.

A force of twelve are required for this department, among them being seven that have made a life study in this and other cities of fitting shoes, and have the art down to such a fine point that they can be termed "Expert Shoe Fitters."

BONITZ HOTEL.

One of the popular and convenient located hostelries of Wilmington is the Bonitz Hotel, conducted by J. H. W. Bonitz, who is one of the best known bonifaces on the Eastern Shore, and his house one of the most liberally patronized hotels in Wilmington; containing 25 fine light and comfortably furnished sleeping rooms, a fine, large dining hall, elegant parlor and cheerful reading room. The Bonitz Hotel is provided with every convenience including bath room, electric lights, sample rooms, etc. Of the cuisine and service little need be said, for it is all that can be desired. Every effort is made to please guests and to make them feel at home. Mr. Bonitz is popular in K. of P., Mason and Odd Fellow circles.